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CLAIM LITIGATION NEXT AT SHUSHANNA

Gold Miners Want Hundreds of
Disputes Settled Dur-
ing Winter

MOUNTED POLICE HAVE THREE POSTS ON RIVER

James Party Expected at Daw-
son With \$30,000 on
October 1

SLUICING STOPPED FOUR DAYS OF SNOW

Dawson, Y. T., Sept. 17.—Frederick
Wann, formerly emergency recorder
in the White river and Shushanna
district, who arrived yesterday in Daw-
son from Shushanna says he is sure
the camp will be a success, but that
so many claims have been jumped
that much litigation will result. The
first few cases it is expected, will
be decided by the court, but later
decisions of other disputes of a similar
nature. The miners are asking for
speedy decisions this winter in order
that the camp may not be tied up all
next summer. No marshal as yet has
reached the district. The Royal North-
west Mounted Police now have three
posts on the White river route within
thirty miles of Shushanna.

Three Fairbanks men arrived yester-
day reported that three Fairbanks
men lost their lives on route to the
strike. Two were drowned in the
Nabesna and one accidentally shot
himself in the breast with his rifle
while hunting. An unconfirmed re-
port says one man was lost in the
White river while descending on route
to Dawson.

Every day ten to twenty are leaving
here for Donkey with poles, boats or
trunks. The James party, due here
October 1, is expected to bring \$30,000
in gold.

Sluicing stopped in Shushanna Sep-
tember 1, says Wann. Six claims
were shovelled in up to that time,
including James' discovery on El Dor-
ado. Whittman No. 2 on the same
claim, Taylor's claim on Bonanza and
Beck's Bonanza No. 2 on Gold Run.
Hamshaw found pay at the mouth of
Big El Dorado and is ground sluicing.
Sixty men are now building cabins
at Donkey and the same number on
the Snag.

Nearly every Klondiker returning
from Shushanna is getting winter out-
fits and returning. On September 2,
snow had fallen four days at Shu-
shanna.

DAVENPORT CARES FOR MAN MENTALLY UNSOUND

Wanderer Found by Police Praying in
Streets Thought He
Saw Lion.

Davenport, Wash., Sept. 17.—A record
for quick disposition of insanity cases
was established by Judge Joseph Ses-
sions in the case of John Brooks, 28,
of Kansas City, who had been picked up
by the police after they had seen him
kneel and pray repeatedly in the
streets of Davenport.

As soon as the man was brought be-
fore the judge for examination he
broke out with Judge, I saw a lion
running through the streets this morn-
ing and I took after it with my razor.
"That's enough," said the judge, who
proceeded to sign his name to the com-
mitment papers a half minute after
the insane man had been brought into
the courtroom.

Brooks believes people are being
turned into dogs and informed the
court that he has the choice of being
turned into a dog or a cat, and he
hadn't yet made his choice, but thought
he would be a cat.

WAS LAST MAN TO SEE RADFORD ALIVE

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 17.—E. L.
Dowling, a mining engineer, who ar-
rived here to-day, was one of the last
white men who saw Henry V. Radford,
the New York explorer, before he was
killed by Eskimos nearly two years
ago in Northwestern Canada. Dowling
saw Radford at Fort Norman, west of
Great Bear Lake, in the summer of
1911.

"Pretty risky," were Radford's last
words. Dowling wished him a
safe journey from Fort Norman. Dowling
said Radford had a quick temper
and that the Eskimos were resentful.

MURDER IS CHARGED.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 17.—Oswald C.
Hansel, the rancher who shot and
killed Judge Frank J. Taylor at Astoria
last Sunday after threatening the
crime for a year, will be put on trial
next Monday, the grand jury having
charged him with murder in the first
degree, a capital offence. All the city
and county officers in Astoria were
closed to-day in honor of the late
Justice William Franklin.

TAMMANY IS BEATEN IN BUFFALO AND ROCHESTER; AUTOMOBILE GUNMEN FIGHT PRIMARY ELECTION DUEL ON BROADWAY

Sulzer Issue Not Apparent in
Results of Voting in New
York City

MONROE COUNTY WENT AGAINST DEMOCRATS

New York, Sept. 17.—The impeach-
ment of Governor Sulzer, and his fight
for direct primary reform played an
important part in yesterday's Demo-
cratic primaries in New York state.
The governor's friends maintained
that these issues were responsible for
defeats the regular Democratic organi-
zation suffered in several localities.
In Buffalo and Rochester, the
largest cities outside New York, the
regular Democratic organizations
which lined up with Tammany hall
in the Sulzer impeachment fight were
badly beaten. In Albany county form-
er State Committeeman McCabe, clerk
of the senate, a firm Tammany ad-
herent, came so near defeat that the
party leadership may remain in doubt
until the official count.

In New York City the Sulzer issue
was not apparent. Only one of the
Democratic district leaders was un-
hounded and this contest was purely
local.

Sulzer's threat to make the Demo-
cratic assemblymen smart for defeat-
ing his direct primary measures was
recalled to-day when primary returns
showed that four of the assemblymen
who voted against this measure and
for his impeachment were defeated
for renomination in Buffalo. All five
Democratic nominees by the opponents
of Tammany hall. Only one of Mon-
roe's five representatives in the assem-
bly at present is a Democrat. The
primaries held by the other parties
had no state-wide feature to distin-
guish them.

HUNGER RATHER THAN BULLETS CAUSED MANY AMERICANS TO LEAVE MEXICAN TERRITORY

San Diego, Cal., Sept. 17.—Destitute
and almost without clothes when they
boarded the cruiser Buffalo on the
Mexico coast last week, almost a hun-
dred of the 133 refugees arrived here
early to-day on that vessel. They still
bore the marks of the privation which
they experienced while in the zone of
war.

The Buffalo's passengers came from
the port of Guaymas and from a land-
ing at the mouth of the Yaqui river.
Many of the passengers were residents
of Empalme, a town not far from
Guaymas. Captain von Blamer, com-
manding the Buffalo, said the dan-
ger to Americans in the coast ports of
Mexico was not great, but that the
refugees were leaving those places in

Polling Booth Repeaters Startle
Matinee Patrons in Day-
light Battle

OLD FEUD RE-OPENED SEVERAL ARRESTED

New York, Sept. 17.—Gunmen, said
by the police to be members of rival
gangs, whose activity in the primary
election yesterday led to the renewal
of an old feud, engaged in a revolver
duel while seated in two automobiles
standing on upper Broadway just as
a nearby theatre matinee crowd
swarmed into the street. No injuries
were sustained.

The attacking party of seven, after
firing on three men in the other car
half a block away and being shot at
in return, attempted to speed away,
but were overtaken by a traffic patrol-
man in a taxicab. Three men jumped
from the car and escaped. Four, in-
cluding the chauffeur, were arrested
and locked up. No attempt was made
to capture the members of the de-
fending party.

According to the police, the four men
under arrest are members of the
"Jack Sirocco" gang and they opened
fire on members of the "Hudson
Dusters" and the "Rose" gang. A
search of the captured car revealed
under a rug in the tonneau, six
revolvers, a .38 Smith & Wesson, a
revolver, more than 300 rounds, sup-
posedly of voters in the Eighth As-
sembly District downtown, and the
police are working on the theory that
the men arrested are "repeaters" who,
after voting in the lower part of the
city, went up to the Fifteenth As-
sembly District to "work" the primary
there in the same way.

response to the wish expressed by
President Wilson.

Hunger, rather than bullets, caused
the most suffering to the Americans.
What was considered an extreme
case, was that of J. J. Donovan and
family, who came from the Yaqui
river country. Mr. Donovan is the
representative there of Charles F.
O'Brien of Los Angeles. War trouble
ruined their property and forced them
to flee for safety. They hid in the
brush many times from rebel bands
and arrived in Guaymas destitute.

All of the refugees boarding the
Buffalo were heavily-armed. They
clung to their weapons to the last and
were allowed to bring them ashore
here.

VANITY GIVEN AS CAUSE OF LOS ANGELES MURDER; MAN AND WOMAN ARE BOTH ACCUSED

Los Angeles, Sept. 17.—Vanity, ac-
cording to sheriffs' deputies, was re-
sponsible for the predicament of Mrs.
Rose Nelson, who, defiant and disdai-
nful, appeared to-day in a justice court
to be arraigned on an information
charging her with the murder of Frank
E. J. Nelson, who was slain last Sat-
urday morning. When the body of
Nelson was found last Saturday morn-
ing near his home at Florence, the
sheriff's office could discover no clue.
Mrs. Nelson told several deputies that
her husband probably had been killed
by James F. Cook, son of a wealthy
Hollywood real estate owner, who may
have been impelled to crime for love
of her.

Cook was arrested and made a state-
ment which Coroner Hartwell pre-
sented yesterday as a signed confession.
He made no mention of Mrs. Nelson
until she declared he was "a man of
putty." Then he turned on her and
declared she had planned the assassina-
tion to get rid of her husband. He
asserted she had borrowed \$30 to
finance the crime, and early on the
morning hung a light in the window
to signal him in his hiding place that
the intended victim had left home to
go to work.

Cook, according to his father, expects
to plead guilty and take a life sen-
tence. Mrs. Nelson asserted her in-
nocence.

TEMPERATURE IS 106 AT LOS ANGELES

Los Angeles, Sept. 17.—After a night
during most of which the temperature
stood about the ninety-mark, the hot-
test night temperature ever recorded
here, twenty-four hour periods in the
annals of the weather bureau.
The official thermometers recorded
ninety-five at 9 o'clock this morning.
At 10 a. m. the mercury climbed to
106 and remains there. At the street
level the heat was sweltering. Low
humidity relieved the situation in some
degrees.

DIGGS AND CAMINETTI SENTENCED TO PRISON

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—Maury I.
Diggs, former state architect of Cal-
ifornia, was sentenced to-day by Judge
Van Fleet in the United States district
court to serve two years in the state
penitentiary at San Quentin, and to pay
a fine of \$2,000 for violating the Mann
white slave act.
F. Drew Caminetti, son of Anthony
Caminetti, United States commissioner-
general of immigration, was sentenced
to eighteen months at San Quentin
and to pay a fine of \$1,500 for the same
offense.

NEW HAMPSHIRE TOWNS ALL SEEING FUGITIVE

Littleton, N. H., Sept. 17.—Harry
K. Thaw moved on to Concord, the
capital to-day, to await the hearing
before Governor Feltner on Tuesday in
the matter of his extradition. Safe in
the knowledge that the United States
district court will review his case on a
writ of habeas corpus if he loses.
Thaw was hopeful and light-hearted
and smiled and waved at the crowds
which greeted him on the way to the
railroad station.

Concord, N. H., Sept. 17.—Several
hundred persons cheered as Thaw
alighted from the train to-day.

RAILROAD EARNINGS \$21,000,000 FOR YEAR

Minneapolis, Minn., Sept. 17.—The
gross earnings of the Chicago, Minne-
apolis & Santa Fe, Marie railroad for
the year ending June 30, 1913, were \$21,
410,672, according to a report submit-
ted at the annual meeting of stock-
holders of the road here to-day. For
the year previous the earnings were
approximately \$17,000,000.
The operating expenses of the road
were \$12,024,818.80, and the expense per
mile \$4.1489.

AMERICAN VIEW OF MEXICO UNCHANGED

Rebellion Against Huerta Now
Confined to Sonora and
Durango States

ELECTION IN OCTOBER OFFICIALLY ANNOUNCED

Battleships Are to Remain on
Coast for Protection
If Required

SOVEREIGNTY TO BE LEFT UNATTACKED

Washington, Sept. 17.—Particular
attention has been attracted by Huerta's
announcement that the electoral law
has been promulgated providing for a
presidential election in October. It is
regarded as significant that Huerta ex-
pects to conduct the elections to a suc-
cessful issue, notwithstanding the revo-
lutionary movement. That suggests
the idea that the Huerta party will
take the ground that owing to the
limitation of the rebellion to the states
of Sonora and Durango, the constitu-
tional prohibition against the conduct
of a national election while the coun-
try is not at peace, would not apply.

It was said to-day at the state de-
partment that so far there appeared
to be nothing in Huerta's message to
cause the United States to change its
attitude.
American battleships probably will
remain in Mexican waters despite Gen-
eral Huerta's declaration that they
will be unwelcome after another
month. There was no official expres-
sion of this in the government's atti-
tude to-day, but it was plainly indi-
cated that the United States would keep
its vessels on the Mexican Pacific coast
and Atlantic coast as long as the pre-
servation of the safety of Americans
warrants.

It was pointed out that by interna-
tional law the United States clearly
has a right to protect its citizens in a
foreign country where internal dis-
orders prevail and to that end may dis-
patch warships to ports where Ameri-
can interests demand protection.
It was pointed out to-day that Ameri-
can warships in Mexican waters would
continue to adhere strictly to the in-
junction of President Huerta not to
entail an attack on the dignity and
sovereignty of Mexico. But it is not
likely that the Wilson administration
will accept dictation from Huerta as
to the circumstances in which Ameri-
can vessels may lie off the Mexican
coast.

Brownsville, Texas, Sept. 17.—United
States soldiers yesterday hauled down
several Mexican flags at a Mexican
Independence Day celebration about
forty miles from here on the American
side of the border. The Mexicans then
raised an American flag. Residents of
Pharr, Texas, also pulled down Mexi-
can flags until the Mexicans raised one
American flag.

ARAB TRIBESMEN KILL THIRTY-FOUR ITALIANS

General Torelli Among the Dead;
Seventy-five Officers and
Men Wounded.

Bengasi, Tripoli, Sept. 17.—The Ital-
ian commander, General Torelli and
thirty-three Italian officers and men
were killed in a battle yesterday with
Arab tribesmen. The news reached
this city to-day. The Italian list of
wounded includes seventy-five offi-
cers and men. The Arab losses are
not stated but were undoubtedly very
heavy.
The Italian column which had been
operating for some time against the
tribesmen, found them strongly en-
trenched on a height commanding the
valley of Tenchi. The Italian artillery
finally compelled the Arabs to re-
treat to the desert.
General Torelli fell at the head of
his troops while urging them on to
the attack.

MANSON ELIZABETH OCCUPIED FIRED BY DUO OF MILITANTS

London, Sept. 17.—A suffragette
"arson squad" early to-day tried to
burn down Panshurst Place, the his-
toric fourteenth century country seat
of Lord de Lisle and Dudley, at Tun-
bridge, Kent. A party of household
employees succeeded in extinguishing
the flames.
Two women were seen running
across the lawn in front of the build-
ing and suffrage literature was scat-
tered about the grounds.
The mansion is a treasure house,
filled with antiques, old tapestries and
articles left there by Queen Elizabeth,
who frequently occupied the house
during her reign.

MARRIED LAST SUNDAY



MR. JUSTICE GREGORY MARRIED ON SUNDAY

Wedding Took Place Quietly at
Fredericton; Leaving for
Victoria To-night

Fredericton, N. B., Sept. 17.—Mr.
Justice F. B. Gregory, formerly of Vic-
toria, but late years a resident of Vic-
toria, B. C., and a judge of the British
Columbia Supreme Court, and Miss
Nan Thompson, daughter of Senator
P. A. Thompson, of this city, were
married here last Sunday afternoon.
The wedding took place at the Metho-
dist parsonage, the ceremony being
performed by the Rev. Neil McLaugh-
lin, pastor of the Fredericton Metho-
dist church. Only the necessary wit-
nesses required by law were present.
No announcement of the wedding was
made, in fact nothing was known
about it until to-day.

This morning a reporter talked to
Judge Gregory over the telephone and
told him that requests for information
as to the wedding, made to Miss
Thompson, had all been referred to him.

"Well I don't like the publicity that
goes with these things, but I suppose
you might as well know about it now
as at any other time," said the judge.
"We were married on Sunday after-
noon last at the Methodist parsonage
very quietly. There was nobody pre-
sent except the necessary witnesses."

This afternoon a reception is to be
held and Judge Gregory and his bride
will leave later this evening for Vic-
toria.

GERALDINE FARRAR TO SING ON COAST

New York, Sept. 17.—Heartwhole and
fancy free, Geraldine Farrar, metro-
politan soprano, returned from Europe
yesterday morning by the Kaiser Wil-
helm II. She had a thrilling tale to
tell about an experience with strikers
at Milan in July, in which her auto-
mobile was badly battered and she
herself struck by missiles thrown by
strikers. Also she went up in an air-
ship at Berlin, and is going to sing
"Carmen" during the metropolitan
season after a flying concert tour to
the Pacific coast. According to Miss
Farrar, she is not engaged to be
married to any of the well known
dukes, lords or barons of Europe, nor
yet to Antonio Scotti, with whom her
name is so often coupled.

AUSTRALIAN DEFENCE SUBJECT OF PRAISE

Melbourne, Sept. 17.—The Australian
and New Zealand naval and military
policies have struck the imagination
of the United Kingdom beyond all else.
So says Hamar Greenwood, who is a
member of the imperial party now
visiting the commonwealth.
Other members are loud in their
praises of Australia's defence and are
of the opinion that Australia is mak-
ing history. Lord Esmott and Mr.
Greenwood have expressed themselves
as pleased with Australia's richness
and its value as an outpost of the
Empire, while Lord Esmott says Brit-
ish cabinet ministers should make
periodical visits to the Dominions.

ROUNDED-UP CATTLE THEN LOST HIS NERVE

Tacoma, Sept. 17.—With a nerve as
colossal as to stagger everyone con-
nected with the subsequent investiga-
tion, an unidentified thief rounded up
fourteen head of blooded cattle, val-
ued at \$3,500, and driving them into the
city yesterday tried to sell the entire
herd as beef to the Carstens Packing
Company for approximately \$500. When
he saw the company's stockyard em-
ployees were suspicious he disappeared.
Despite a vigorous search since then,
not a single clue has been discovered
as to the ownership of the cattle and
there is no trace of the thief. Though
the cattle were stolen more than 24
hours ago, no claimant has yet ap-
peared.

LIVERPOOL IS STORM CENTRE OF GREAT BRITISH RAILWAY STRIKE

Three Thousand Five Hundred Men Refuse to Handle Seaport
Freight and Four Thousand at Birmingham Leave Work;
Employees of Transport Combine Called Out De-
manding Recognition of Union

London, Sept. 17.—The country is
again threatened with a great railway
strike, and Liverpool, as before, will
be the storm centre. The trouble be-
gan with the refusal of the Liverpool
dockers to handle freight from Dublin,
where the transport workers are on
strike. Men to the number of 3,500 em-
ployed in the freight yards of the
various railways went out yesterday
afternoon and were joined later by 4,000
at Birmingham.

That a complete freight tie-up is
expected on the Northwestern lines is
indicated by a warning issued by the
Canard officials to homeward bound
Americans to carry all their baggage
with them on the boat trains.
The Liverpool workers struck without
the sanction of the railway union, and
lack of support may prevent a national
strike on the railways, but as other
big centres are involved, the outlook is
bad.
There is in the midst of the upheaval
and confusion one gratifying particu-
lar, hope of a settlement is found in
the appointment by the strikers of a
committee to negotiate with the com-
panies.
At Dublin the deadlock continues.
Vast crowds gathered in the streets
last night, but there was only one riot,
which resulted in the smashing of the
windows of street cars. More than 10,000
men are on strike in Dublin.
The bus drivers' union adopted a
resolution last night calling out the
employees of the transport combine,
which includes practically all the motor
bus lines and tube railways, unless
drivers discharged for wearing the
union badge are immediately reinstated
and the union is recognized.

ASQUITH ANNOYED AT LORD LOREBURN'S INTERVENTION IN HOME RULE AFFAIRS

British Premier Would Want More Definite Proposals From
Unionists; Sir Edward Carson Looks on Conference
as Spider's Parlor

London, Sept. 17.—Premier Asquith is
freely stated in government circles to
be more than annoyed at the inter-
vention of Lord Loreburn in the Irish
government controversy without any
previous hint to himself. While he
continued desirous of receiving any
suggestion of practical policy which
would tend to reassure and reassure
Ulster Protestants, he holds that as
the cabinet has placed their plan fully
before parliament and the country, any
alternative for an amended plan
must be made equally clear.

He will not consent to the idea of
a conference unless upon a preliminary
basis for a settlement more definite
than any unionist in a responsible po-
sition has yet put forward. If he did
indeed so consent the fighting element
in his party would drop away from him
and he would alienate the Nationalists
for all time.
It is significant that John Redmond
remains silent. If there had been the
least sign of yielding on the part of
the cabinet he would have been found
ready to speak, and to do so very
plainly.

F. E. Smith, K. C., addressing the
Unionist demonstration at Killeen,
Down county, this afternoon, said that
Lord Loreburn had taken a long time
to discover what Ulster had been say-
ing for the last three years. Unionists
would have no compromise on the
Home Rule question.
Sir Edward Carson, who also spoke,
said the Unionists of Ireland were not
going into a conference which meant
absolute surrender. They knew no
surrender. "A nice conference it would
be," remarked Sir Edward. "Just look
at the position of the parties who would
enter it; there would not be a free
agent in the lot."
"Unionists were not going to be led
into the spider's parlor," he went on.
"They might be flies, but they were
wily old flies and they had too much
experience of the treatment by the
government on the Ulster question.
No matter what might happen loyal-
ists were determined at all costs to
preserve their civic and religious lib-
erty."

COUNTERFEIT FOR PHILANTHROPY ONLY

German Authorities Believe
Schmidt Concerned in Mur-
der of Girl at His Old Home

New York, Sept. 17.—Two more
crimes took their place to-day on the
police record of Hans Schmidt, the
clergyman who has confessed that he
murdered Anna Aumuller and that he
was a counterfeiter. In ransacking his
room detectives found evidence that
Schmidt had stolen from the Easter
collection at St. Joseph's church, and
that he had robbed a visiting clergy-
man, who spent the night at St.
Joseph's rectory as a guest of the local
clergy. An empty purse found to-day
in Schmidt's room proved to be one
which the visiting clergyman had lost
some time ago.

Schmidt insisted to-day that neither
Ernest A. Mueret, his dentist friend,
nor Anna Aumuller, the girl he mur-
dered, knew anything about his coun-
terfeiting operations. In reply to a
written question sent to his cell, he
wrote: "Anna knew nothing of my
plans to solve the social question by
creating money for all the poor people
here and abroad."

Schmidt maintains that he made
bogus money from philanthropic mo-
tives only.
Aschaffenburg, Germany, Sept. 17.—
The authorities here are inclined to be-
lieve that Schmidt, the New York mur-
derer and counterfeiter, may have been
responsible for the murder of a tele-
phone girl, named Miss Haas. Her
body was found near his parents' home
here some time shortly before he left
for the United States.

GOVERNMENT TO INVESTIGATE.

Washington, D. C., Sept. 17.—A rigid
investigation of the latest attempt on
the life of General Harrison Gray Otis
at Los Angeles is being made by post
office inspectors. No official report
has yet been received at the post of-
fice department, but one is expected
from the Los Angeles office.

STEEL BEAMS REDUCED.

Breslau, Sept. 17.—The German Steel
Works Association decided to-day to
reduce the price for steel beams and
half-finished steel products by ap-
proximately \$1.25 a ton for the last
quarter of the year.



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Los Angeles, Sept. 17.—An infernal machine was sent through the mails yesterday to General Harrison Grey Otis, owner of the Los Angeles Times, which was blown up in October, 1912, by the McNamara conspirators. The bomb, which was contained in a box four by five inches, was received at the residence of General Otis yesterday morning. It came with other pieces of mail matter which were delivered to a Japanese servant. The Japanese turned the package over to General Otis' secretary, who in turn handed the box to his employer, who immediately became suspicious and turned it over to the police.

The box was found to contain two sticks of dynamite, each cut in two pieces. Fulminating caps were imbedded in each piece, and an arrangement of sandpaper and matches formed a device to explode the bomb when the box lid was lifted. After examining the box the police exploded a portion of the dynamite.

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LUMBERMEN OBJECT TO TIMBER CHANGES

Revelstoke Manufacturers and Holders Send Government Their Views

Revelstoke, Sept. 17.—Lumber manufacturers and timber holders through British Columbia are at a disagreement with the government in regard to the proposed changes in the timber royalties suggested by the minister of lands, Hon. W. R. Ross. The question has been raised by the government, bringing much uncertainty into the lumber business at the present time.

Doubts by lumbermen are cast on the security of the timber licenses, and many of the minister's proposals are not at all in line with what the license holders and the manufacturers of lumber desire. They are opposed to the log scale as the department proposes to fix it under new regulations, and they differ with the minister and his officers on the period for which fixed rentals and royalties should extend.

The lumbermen assert a decline in price, and that a better price was obtained in 1900. They urge the increased cost of production and a lack of protection in the Canadian markets for the maintenance of the present royalty scale.

Meeting Hon. Mr. Ross at Revelstoke the lumber manufacturers and timber holders of the main line made the following recommendations:

"In view of the fact that it is the expressed intention of the government to increase royalties on timber removed from special licenses, commencing January 1, 1914, we beg to submit as follows:

"Reviewing conditions which have existed in the lumber industry during the past ten years, the outstanding fact is the decline which has occurred in the price obtained; statistics indicate that a better price was obtained thirteen years ago than at the present time. Everything that enters into the cost of production has increased by from 50 to 100 per cent., and logging operations are becoming more costly every year, owing to the greater distances over which logging operations are being carried on. Aside from over-production in British Columbia, the price obtained has been the victim of importations into the prairie provinces owing to lack of protection of the Canadian market. We feel that the lumber industry cannot stand any increase in the present scale of royalty.

"However, if it is the determination of the government to exact additional royalty, the joint committee wish to recommend the following for the consideration of the honorable minister of lands:

"First, that we are strenuously opposed to the enforcement of the British Columbia log scale as applicable to timber removed from lands lying east of the Cascade range, as on the average the mills cannot saw out the scale. We believe that the Doyle scale should be continued.

"Second, having considered the recommendation of the joint meeting of coast lumber manufacturers and timber holders, made to the honorable minister of lands at Vancouver on September 8, we are of the opinion that should the proposal of the coast lumber manufacturers and timber holders be accepted by the government, in so far as they relate to the establishment of a system of collection of royalty on defined grades of logs for a period of 20 years, commencing January 1, 1914, a similar system should be followed with regard to timber removal from lands lying east of the Cascade range; but, we believe, that if such a system is put into force, the identical royalties should be payable, grade for grade, on mountain and coast timber. We are strongly of the opinion that the major portion of any increase in royalty should be upon No. 1—or the highest grade of logs, and that No. 2 logs should bear an increase on a ratio of 50 per cent. an increase on No. 1 logs, and that No. 3 logs, upon which there has never been any profit in manufacture, should bear no increase whatever during the entire period.

"Should the decision of the government be against grading logs for royalty purposes, then, owing to the inferiority of mountain timber as compared to coast timber, and owing to the very unjust inequality now existing in the matter of ground rentals and fire-guarding charges, that mountain timber should be required to pay royalty on the basis of one-third less of that chargeable upon coast timber.

"We believe the period for fixed royalties and rentals should be at least 20 years, for the reason that under existing conditions it is absolutely impossible for manufacturers to obtain any financial assistance upon their timber resources owing to the lack of stability as to carrying charges and royalties. Ground rent should not be increased, and we submit that ground rent be decreased in the interior of British Columbia.

"Since this question has been raised by the government and has resulted in a very general feeling of uncertainty as to what the government's intentions may be for the future, casting grave doubts on the security of timber licenses, we believe that it is the duty of the government to definitely settle this matter at the earliest possible moment."

MARRIAGES PERFORMED BY SCHMIDT ILLEGAL

New York, Sept. 17.—Many young married couples living in the vicinity of St. Joseph's church were in a quandary last night concerning the legality of their marriages which had been performed by Rev. Hans Schmidt. Another clergyman of the church said that many such marriages had been discovered. Recently it was said that Schmidt had performed many marriages without demanding licenses and had made no records on the church books. These marriages are illegal and must be performed over again.

ALBERTA PARLIAMENT OPENED YESTERDAY

Prospects of Province Better Than Ever Before Says Lieutenant-Governor

Edmonton, Alta., Sept. 17.—With customary pomp and ceremony, the first session of the third Alberta legislature was opened in perfect Alberta weather yesterday afternoon by His Honor Lieut.-Governor Bulyen, in the presence of a large and fashionable gathering, which included the wives of cabinet ministers and members and prominent people from all over the province. Hon. C. W. Fisher, the Speaker in the two previous legislatures, was again unanimously chosen.

Although the last two sessions of the previous legislature were held in the new Parliament buildings, the opening of the present session marked the actual completion of the new building. The structure has cost \$2,500,000, and has been six years in building. It is a handsome pile, standing in a commanding position on the brow of the hill, overlooking the Saskatchewan river. The debate on the address will commence this afternoon, and will be finished, it is expected, well before the Friday adjournment.

The speech from the throne was as follows:

"Mr. Speaker and Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly: It gives me great pleasure to welcome you to the first session of the third legislature of the province of Alberta.

"With the more adequate representation of the electorate of this province, in your assembly, which you now have, I feel sure that every portion of the country will feel the greater benefit of your deliberations.

"Since the prorogation of the fourth session of the second legislature of the assembly, the people of the province of Alberta, in common with the whole civilized world, have felt the strain of a severe financial depression, which I am pleased to say is now lessening.

"Notwithstanding this stringency, however, general business throughout the province has been good, the population has largely increased, with the necessary expansion in buildings and improvements, and with the unmatched harvest with which it has pleased an all-wise Providence to reward the labor of our farmers, the prospects of all classes of people in the province are better than ever before.

"You will be pleased to know that this building, so well adapted for legislative and departmental uses, as well as a suitable residence for the representatives of His Majesty in this province, is practically completed.

"Good progress has been made by the government so far this year in carrying out the necessary road and bridge building, telephone extensions and various other public works, and it is the intention that these works will be carried on with due regard to the increasing population and the growing necessities of the province.

"The three agricultural schools authorized by you have been erected, and will, within a short time, be in actual operation, and I believe will be of great assistance in developing interest in proper agricultural methods in the province.

"The establishing of offices in London, England, the appointment of an agent-general for the province in England, will, I am sure, be of very great benefit to the people of this province in many ways.

"Since last season a commission was appointed by my government for the purpose, with representatives from other provinces and many states of the Union, of studying in Europe the question of agricultural credits. A final meeting of all the delegates will be held later, and it is hoped that the report when made, may be of assistance to the agricultural interests.

"I regret to say that the federal government has not as yet taken any steps in regard to the placing of the prairie provinces in the same position, as far as natural resources are concerned, as the other provinces of the Dominion.

"My government is strongly of the opinion that only by equality as to terms can the true spirit of co-operation be carried out, and will continue to maintain that position until the financial provisions of the British North America Act are made applicable to all provinces alike.

"At this session there will be introduced a number of important bills, dealing with administrative and other questions, together with a large number of private bills, and to these I would ask your close consideration.

"The public accounts for the last fiscal year will be laid before you, as well as estimates of the amounts required for expenditure during the coming year, all prepared with due regard to economy and the requirements of the public service.

"Gentlemen of the Legislative Assembly, I now leave you to the business of the session, having full confidence that your deliberations will be divinely guided to the best interests and welfare of the province."

BORDEN'S NAVY POLICY NOT PERMANENT NOW

Halifax, N. S., Sept. 17.—Under the auspices of the Conservative Club, of this city, the premier, the Right Hon. R. L. Borden, delivered an address yesterday afternoon on Canada's place within the Empire.

Mr. Borden emphasized that his naval policy was in no sense a permanent one, neither did it involve "contributions" to the Mother Country. The Conservative party wished to make a gift to the Motherland, as other dominions had already done. He contrasted Sir Wilfrid Laurier's desire to keep Canada out of the foreign policy, but this was an anomaly and could not be upheld if the Empire were to continue to exist.

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PACIFICATION FIRST
NEEDED FOR MEXICOHuerta Hopes for Peace by
End of October With Presi-
dential Election

Mexico City, Sept. 17.—Provisional President Victoriano Huerta delivered his semi-annual message last night at the opening of the second session of the 27th Mexican congress. In it he promised to spare no effort to bring about the unrestricted election of president and vice-president of the Mexican republic next month, declaring that it would constitute the greatest triumph of his career to turn over the office to his successor with the country at peace, as he hoped to do.

General Huerta said the strained diplomatic relations between Mexico and the United States had caused the Mexican nation to suffer unmerited affliction and had retarded the pacification of the country. Nevertheless, he hoped for an early solution of the difficulties between the two nations and to see Mexico and the United States once more united in bonds of friendship.

The provisional president drew a distinction between the attitude of the government of the United States and that of the people of that nation, using the phrase: "The tenseness of our diplomatic relations with the government of the United States of America."

The message was disappointing to those who had expected that President Huerta would deal at some length with the recent diplomatic situation. In his message President Huerta said:

"The Mexican government regards the pacification of the country as an urgent necessity in order to restore the public services to their normal state; to re-establish the political, social and economic equilibrium and to make possible a programme of reforms which will be satisfactory to national aspirations."

"I will spare no effort to obtain the necessary peace and guarantee the next election to be the free casting of the ballot."

"You may be sure it will constitute the greatest possible triumph for the interim government to surrender to its successor, if the latter, as is to be expected, enters upon its functions with public peace and order an accomplished fact."

At the beginning of the last fiscal year to \$21,600,000, \$24,900,000, he said, had been expended for the pacification of the country. Of the loan of \$100,000,000 authorized in May, French bankers took \$30,000,000 at 90. Out of this \$30,000,000, \$20,000,000 had been repaid \$20,000,000, half of which was a loan to the national treasury and half to the monetary commission.

For the army, 5,600 horses and 2,300 mules had been purchased during the year. The national carriage factory, he said, was turning out 250,000 carriages monthly.

Besides the great number of cannon of various descriptions, machine guns, rifles, carbines and ammunition, the government had contracted abroad for ten aeroplanes, 77 armored motor cars and 50 unarmored motor cars, and two armed transports.

SENATOR AND TIMBER
MAN DIE IN FIGHT

Aberdeen, Miss., Sept. 17.—In a fight in which one used an axe and the other a revolver, Dr. H. F. Broyles, Mississippi state senator, and E. F. Hendrix, of Selmer, Tenn., a timber man, killed each other near Greenwood Springs yesterday.

According to reports to officials, Broyles started to repair a dam when Hendrix interfered. As Hendrix fired at Broyles with a revolver, Broyles struck him on the head with an axe. Both fell dead. Broyles with a bullet in his heart and Hendrix with his head split open.

The men are said to have been unfriendly since a timber deal, about a year ago.

NEGRO BAPTISTS MEET.

Nashville, Tenn., Sept. 17.—The national negro-Baptist convention opened a six-days session here to-day. A feature will be a semi-centennial celebration of "Fifty Years of Freedom." Booker T. Washington will speak Friday night.

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ANOTHER NEW ERA
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(Special Correspondence.)

London, Sept. 17.—The remarks attributed to Mr. White, the Canadian minister of finance, published here, accurately reflect the city view of Canadian matters. The bigger men, the men with the larger understanding, quite admit that such wonderful development as Canada has shown during the past few years is bound to result in the introduction to Canadian finance of a few real estate swindlers who succeed in persuading a few ignorant Englishmen to actions which result in their burning their fingers. But they know also that such men cannot affect the real tide of the Dominion's prosperity, and they know that Canada will forge ahead again shortly, and that nothing can stop her.

It is a little curious that Mr. White should have expressed his satisfaction with English opinions at this moment, for we happen to know that one very high class firm in the city of London, a firm destined to play a large part in the financing of Canada, is just about to issue a municipal loan for one of the more important Canadian cities. This will be out next week, and it is quite on the cards that the whole amount will be subscribed and that the underwriters will merely have to take up their commission. In any case, if not bought right up, it will very speedily be absorbed, and it is to be hoped that this will mark the beginning of another new era.

Other ventures will now begin to make their appeal to the money market, but it cannot be expected that they will all come to London. Several of the Balkan loans, when they do come along, will undoubtedly go to Paris, for certain of the nations already stand committed to the French financiers, as Paris has been much more daring than London during the past troubled months. In the way of lending money to the combatants, stipulating naturally that they should have the option on further issues. Very little has been heard of these plans, however, and Greece has been a large borrower, and it is inevitable that their Parisian friends should invite the co-operation of the London houses. Bulgaria almost alone amongst the one time allies will find it difficult to get money for the territory with which she has been left practically worthless, and will not pay for developing. None the less we feel assured that Canada will get as much money as any of them, for people feel safer with regard to their interest in Canadian investments than they do with the Eastern countries.

It is understood that the British government are playing a very clever game with regard to the allocation of the £200,000 loan for the Sudan. Several financial houses are now nibbling at it, but the rate of interest at which it can be offered is not one which will appeal to investors in the present state of the money market, so each of the firms is trying to exact options with regard to future issues, and the government are apparently bargaining with them. Everybody is nibbling at it, but no one will close without a future opportunity is given, so it is possible that this will not be on the market for quite a month.

Events in Mexico appear to be working out as we have suggested, and there is very little pessimism in the city now regarding the future of the neighbor of the States. We hope shortly to be able to send a definite assurance of an official source on this point.

GENERAL STRIKES
ARE NOT FAVOREDGerman Socialists Pass Resolution
but Not for Immediate
Effect.

Jena, Germany, Sept. 17.—The general strike as a political weapon. It was employed last April in Belgium and at earlier periods in France and Russia was the subject of a warm and extended debate in the Socialists' convention here to-day. It found few friends as a measure for immediate use.

The failure of the Socialists to gain substantially at the last elections for the Prussian Diet and the evident impossibility of their doing so under the existing conditions of the Prussian franchise led to the debate.

The Radicals demanded to-day that the Germans should start a fight on similar lines to those which were successful in Belgium. A resolution was introduced by the central committee which approved in principle of such a step, but held that the time is not ripe for it.

The resolution was adopted after supporting speeches had been made by Eduard Bernstein, George Ledebour, Philip Scheidemann, Eduard David and other leaders. Dr. Karl Liebknecht declared that a political strike at the present moment would be a catastrophe.

FREIGHT ON RATTAN
FROM COAST INCREASED

Ottawa, Sept. 17.—The railway board met yesterday to consider a long list of cases, including the important matter of an increase of rates on grain products between points east of the Great Lakes. This case was not reached, however, and will be taken up at the October traffic sitting.

The board approved an increase in the rates charged by the C. P. R. on rattan furniture from Vancouver and Victoria to points in Manitoba. These rates were also suspended.

CANADA TO BENEFIT
BY TARIFF CHANGESTwenty Per Cent Reduction on United
States Goods Imported May Be
in Force Saturday.

Washington, Sept. 17.—Immediately President Wilson signs the new tariff bill, which will probably be on Saturday if the members of both houses can reach an agreement, the treasury department will wire the collectors on the border the new rates on Canadian imports, with instructions for applying the new system of ad valorem duties, and within a few hours the Underwood-Simmons Act will replace the Payne-Aldrich Act.

There has been a change in the rate of nearly every Canadian product coming into the United States. A general reduction on Canadian farm products was said to be about 20 per cent, although the average reduction of the whole bill is somewhat greater. On many products coming from Canada the reduction is 50 per cent, and it will take the collectors some time to apply the new rate with exactitude.

Importers have been piling up goods in bonded warehouses for months in anticipation of the low rates, and there will be a race to put these goods through the custom houses, to take advantage of the first demands for low priced foreign goods.

BOY KILLED BY FALL
FROM BALLOON ROPE

Woodstock, Conn., Sept. 17.—Thirteen-year-old George Dernier, who was holding a guy rope to a balloon while it was being inflated preparatory to an ascension at the local fair this afternoon, was suddenly carried 500 feet in the air and then dropped to instant death in front of the grandstand, where 5,000 people were assembled.

In order to secure a better hold on the guy rope, during the inflation of the balloon, the boy wound the rope about his waist several times. When the balloonist, Harold Gates, of Newburyport, Mass., started his ascension, the boy did not have time to unwind the rope and was carried swiftly upward.

Mr. Gates was not aware of the boy's predicament.

NINE HUNDRED YOUTHS
ARE PAYING PENALTY

Melbourne, Sept. 17.—Nine hundred youths have been committed to detention in barracks for non-compliance with the compulsory military training law, according to a parliamentary return just issued. The youths comprise all those who are at present paying the penalty of their misdeeds in this connection throughout Australia. It is generally conceded that taking all the circumstances into consideration the number is gratifyingly small.

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THAT BRIDGE.

Suspended somewhere between heaven and earth like Mahomet's coffin is the trans-harbor bridge. It is now almost a year since we were informed, with the fanfare and elaborately staged settings of the usual government announcement, of the plans for the terminals on the reserve and the magnificent bridge that was to span the harbor from Johnson street. If we remember aright, there was to be a double-decked urban terminal, divided by a roadway running from the end of the bridge all the way to Esquimalt. And the work was to be started in the near future, to quote the official announcer. The government was to prepare the approaches on the reserve side and under certain conditions contribute \$150,000 to the cost of the bridge.

Why has not the work been begun? The provincial government knows where the bridge is to be built and ought to know the kind of structure it is proposed to put there. In any event, it is responsible for the work on the reserve, and so far the only efforts that have been made to carry out any of the elaborate plans of which we hear so little nowadays are those of the Esquimalt & Nanaimo Railway Company, whose projects there will be completed about the time the government and Canadian Northern put their laggard shoulders to the task. Will our friend along the street who has the ear of the powers across James Bay kindly inform us whether the bridge will be started before the next provincial election? Is the construction of the union station and the roadway waiting on the bridge? Let us have a little light on the subject. There are more than fifty thousand people interested in it.

AN IMPERIAL DELUSION.

It is now considered a fine thing for Canada that under the Underwood bill, by which the United States' new tariff is known, our products will be permitted to cross the border under a reduced duty of about twenty per cent. Yet two years ago we had an opportunity of having all the duties on natural products abolished entirely, and the failure to carry out that agreement was considered by those who rejoice in a reduction of twenty per cent, as a triumph of business sagacity. We are now going to have the very "truck and trade with the Yankees" that threatened, according to timid imperialists, to be the thin end of the wedge that would ultimately result in the waning of a true imperial spirit in Canada and the final disruption of the empire. But then we may be told that under the Underwood bill we are getting something for nothing—that the Americans are giving all the concessions and we are conceding nothing at all. Which may be interpreted as meaning that our neighbors are either reducing or abolishing duties on the necessities of life while we are maintaining our duties and collecting taxes on the necessities of life, thus keeping up prices and adding to the hardships of those who have been brought face to face with the possibility of a depression with the winter season approaching. This is a very consoling thing for the workmen who were told that reciprocity would mean a large influx of American labor with a reduction of wages to a scale corresponding with that in force in less favored sections of the country. We do not wonder that the "statesmen" and the moulders of public opinion who led the people astray a couple of years ago have so little to say now about the conditions that will be brought about by the adoption of the Underwood tariff bill.

STILL IN A QUANDARY.

The only thing new in Mr. Borden's speech at Halifax yesterday was that he persisted in his policy of contributions and continued to oppose a Canadian navy. Having changed his mind four times on this important subject in four years, it will be always news to learn that he adheres to any one idea for twelve months at a stretch. He declares that his proposal is not a permanent policy, but then we recall that only a few seasons ago he went on record in opposition to contributions to the admiralty under any circumstances. Naturally the question at once arises, if he opposes a policy of permanent contributions and with equal conviction opposes a Canadian navy, so much so that he is committed to the repeal of the naval service act of 1910, is it possible for him to have a permanent policy at all? He says he has not considered the question of a permanent policy. Why not? He has had his conference with the admiralty. Our sister dominion Australia has made splendid progress on the basis of the arrangement reached with the home authorities four years ago. He is in possession of complete information just as Australia and New Zealand are. Why does he delay the creation of a permanent policy?

The fact is Mr. Borden's naval policy is one of continued money contributions, and his disclaimer deceives nobody. Canada must have a permanent policy and the present government declares that it shall not be a Canadian navy; that it is a "separatist" policy. Australians by implication being stigmatized as "separatists." We are asked to contribute to meet an "emergency" which Mr. Borden now reluctantly announces has shifted from the North Sea to the Mediterranean and to help in the creation of a new squadron. Surely Mr. Borden is not fatigued enough to imagine that once having assisted in the creation of that new unit we shall not be in honor bound to continue our contributions to it. And that squadron will be entirely under the control of the admiralty, a body not responsible to the people of this country who will be taxed to contribute to it. In the meantime, the Canadian Pacific Coast will be left entirely unguarded.

Mr. Borden himself has made it clear that it is impossible to support his policy and that of a Canadian navy. We think our opponents even will admit that in the light of all speeches and memoranda this is a fair statement of the case. He has pointed out that a Canadian navy would be too costly an undertaking, a humiliating attitude for a Canadian Prime Minister to take in view of the naval programme Australia has adopted. The inference is that he prefers to make contributions because it is the cheapest way in which Canada can escape from a harassing situation. Admittedly it would cost much more to build ships in Canada than it would to have them constructed in England and then turned over to the Admiralty. But we would be developing our shipbuilding industry, opening up our resources and providing work for thousands of people, a circumstance which easily counterbalances the additional expense that would be involved if we undertook the burden ourselves.

The Prime Minister is guilty of a grave mis-statement of fact when he declares that the Liberals insist that dreadnoughts be constructed in this country. One would think that even the exigencies of a situation for which he has only himself to blame would not call for cheap deception from a person occupying his high position. Never at any time did the opposition argue in favor of the construction of dreadnoughts in Canada at once. And never was it suggested that this country would have to lay down two of them yearly. That these are falsehoods manufactured to order is palpable to a ten-year-old child. The Liberal policy embodied in the Canadian navy act, which Mr. Borden himself assisted in originating, provided for the construction of cruisers such as Australia is now building in her own yards. In any elaboration of that policy it was clearly conceded by the Liberals that battleships would have to be built in England. Sir Wilfrid Laurier's resolution provided for the construction of ships in Canada "as far as possible," and Mr. Borden knows it.

The accusation that the Liberals have delayed Canadian participation in the defence of the empire need not be taken seriously. It is not only amusing but contemptible. The late government had embarked upon a naval policy which Mr. Borden supported, after a conference with the admiralty and the other dominions. Training ships were procured in England and an organization begun. Mr. Borden then repudiated his original attitude for partisan purposes, formed an open alliance with the Nationalists of Quebec who opposed a Canadian navy, and first advocated a contribution, then went bodily into the camp of the anti-naval coterie and moved that nothing in the way of naval aid be attempted at all until there was an appeal to the people. At the time he and his following did everything in their power to harass the government's naval programme, which now that they are in office they have abandoned. Mr. Borden's attitude on this question is an insult to Canadianism. Even if we believe what he says, Canada has no permanent policy and he does not know when she will have one. And Australia, beginning where we began four years ago, has a fleet of ships almost ready for service and will soon be engaged in organizing a second.

WHO WILL REAP THE ADVANTAGES?

Under reciprocity Canadian wheat would have been admitted to the United States free of duty. Under the Underwood bill Canadian wheat will be admitted to the United States under a duty of ten cents a bushel. The latter fact is hailed as a triumph for imperialism; the former proposition was attacked as a blow at imperialism. Now we wonder what the farmers whose business it is to produce and to sell wheat think about it. We shouldn't wonder a bit if they continue their disloyal clamor for the free admission of wheat. It is also possible that the people of British Columbia may in process of time reach the conclusion that they have been deluded by the apostles of high protection and food-taxation. The people of the United States are going to be fed with our fish free of duty and with other things that we produce either free or at a great reduction of duty. We may yet reach the point of asking ourselves whether this condition of affairs is not an advantage to Americans and why there should not be corresponding advantages for us. The cost of living here is said to be the highest in the world. Is that condition conducive to progress and prosperity? Does our government propose to do anything about it? Or is it going to continue its policy of "leaving well enough alone?"

A QUERY.

It is in this way that his policy was so diametrically opposed to that propounded by Mr. Borden. The latter, to meet a present emergency, is willing that Canada should discharge her immediate obligations by instant and effective aid, leaving to the future, and the result of carefully considered plans, the building up of a Dominion navy, not only for the defence of these shores but ready to go to the assistance of the Empire in whatever part it may be threatened.—Colonist.

Will our contemporary cite one quotation from any of Mr. Borden's speeches to show that he intends to create a Dominion navy? We can quote a dozen to show that he is opposed to it. Here is one of them: "In my humble opinion nothing of an effective nature can be built up in this country in twenty-five and perhaps fifty years." (Hansard, December 5, 1912.)

THE HEROES OF PEACE.

Peace has her honor roll of heroes as long and imposing as the scroll of those who gain renown in war. The other day King George bestowed medals upon a number of miners who, at the risk of their lives, descended a shaft and rescued comrades in imminent peril. On Monday two sewer flushers and a battalion fire chief in San Francisco went down into a manhole charged with deadly gas to rescue a man who had been overcome. The first man who descended fell alongside the body of his comrade. Another sewer-flusher at once followed, and he too fell a victim to the fumes. The battalion chief then went down, but had to return, half strangled, to the surface. Nothing daunted, he again descended and succeeded in drawing one of the victims out of the trap. Then, wearing an oxygen helmet, he brought up the other two. One of the men is dead, another is not expected to recover, and the chief is in the hospital.

Here there was heroism of the finest quality. The first man who went into that deadly hole knew the terrible risk he was undergoing and very likely he has given his life for another. The other two took similar risks. These men were none of the habituallys of war. They were not surrounded by circumstances which produce in the minds of men a condition that makes them indifferent to danger. Imminent death, peril stared them in the face. They recognized it, and without a moment's hesitation met it unafraid. Such deeds as these give the lie to the declarations of feverish militarists that only war makes a nation strong and develops the courage of its people. The captains of industry and wealth who stood shoulder to shoulder with the humble immigrants on the deck of the Titanic when she plunged beneath the waves; the miners who risked death in the shaft and the heroes of the San Francisco manhole furnish examples of the highest type of bravery, the unselfish bravery of men who risk and give their lives that others might live.

We are informed that an effort is to be made here to bring about the enforcement of the old statute of King Charles II. relating to Sabbath observance in all particulars. This certainly means that we shall have stocks and three shilling fines. Still, the law was such an eminent success in the days of that salutary ruler who sanc-

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THE \$8.75 VALUES are to be had in heavy-weight diagonal tweeds in green and grey mixtures. They are well-tailored, smart-looking Coats in the three-quarter length and finished with pipings of velvet and patch pockets. The convertible collar can be worn open or closed as desired.

THE \$13.75 VALUE is another remarkable line that comes in diagonals and plain and mixed tweeds in colors, brown, grey, black and white, blue and white, greens and fawn mixtures. They are all in the very latest Fall styles and come in the three-quarter and full-lengths with cutaway fronts and made to button up close to the neck or can be worn open as desired. Some show the plain straight lines and others have belted back effects, and the trimmings are mostly in Velvets, some having a long throw-over shoulder, finished with a silk tassel. All sizes from 14 years to 42 bust are included.

New Fall Styles in Smart Tailored Suits at \$15.00

WE are also showing in the department this very smart line in Women's Tailored Suits in the new Fall styles. They are splendid values for such a low figure, and we believe you will readily admit that they are really worth considerably more. The coats are in the long cutaway effects, with five-button fastenings, and the skirts are strictly tailored with panel back and front. Ladies' cloth is the material and you can choose from navy, black, green, rose and Alice blue, and all sizes are included up to 42 bust. Remarkable value at..... **\$15.00**

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School of Elocution, "Julius Caesar," Wednesday, 8 p. m. Dr. Tidey, 7314 Fort Street.

The Key Shop, 610 Pandora St.

MAJESTIC THEATRE.

To-day and Thursday, "The Grecian Vase." A poor sculptor, enraptured by the beauty of a woman on a Grecian vase, dreams that she leads him to a land of beauty, where nymphs and satyrs dance to the intoxicating pipes of Pan. The dream over, he learns that his masterpiece has undreamed of value. "The Moonshiner's Mistake." A girl of the hills endeavors to dissuade her sweetheart from his illegal occupation of making moonshine whisky. He overrides her protests and later discovers a strange figure, whom he mistakes for a revenue officer, destroying his still. He fires at the stranger and is horrified to find that he has wounded the girl. His sweetheart, who has taken drastic measures to redeem him, recovers from the accident and readily forgives her lover when he gives his promise to abandon the practice. "Her Husband's Picture" is a pleasing drama. "Count Barber" is an uproariously funny comedy.

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Awarded Exhibition.—Miss Margaret Hardwick, Victoria High School, has been awarded a first year exhibition of \$150 for the season of 1913-14 in the faculty of arts at McGill University, Montreal.

Here From India.—On long leave from Singapore, and now on his way home to England, is L. Peacock, a civil servant in the Orient port. He arrived in Victoria on the Empress of Japan yesterday and will leave again for the East to-morrow.

Touring Canada.—Captain R. W. Oppenheim, of 4th Royal Dragon Guards, a cavalry regiment stationed at Rawal Pindi, Punjab, arrived in Victoria yesterday accompanied by his brother, Alfred Oppenheim. They are on holiday and have proceeded leisurely through Canada, stopping over at practically every town of importance en route.

Company Will Not Pay.—Acting Manager Trip of the British Columbia Electric Railway informed the Saanich council last night that the railway company did not hold itself responsible for the accident to Stene Lowe's automobile and would not pay the bill of \$5 for dragging it out of the ditch. The company claims the road was wide enough for the motor to have stopped if he had watched for the trolley car. This answer will be forwarded to Stene Lowe.

Assize Dates.—The fall assizes are now in progress, the first of them, at New Westminster, having opened on Monday. The other dates fixed are: Victoria, September 29; Revelstoke, October 6; Vancouver, October 13; Clinton, October 13; Nelson, October 15; Fernie, October 20; Kamloops, October 20; Vernon, October 28. There is a comparatively light list of offences for trial and at some of them it is likely that the assize will be cancelled as to criminal cases. At Vancouver there are three murder cases, at Kamloops two and at Clinton one. In Victoria there are set down the Bankers' Trust cases and two cases of alleged bribery in connection with the Saanich paving tenders in which the defendants are H. P. Winlay, real estate agent, and C. D. Rand, of the Canadian Mineral Rubber Company.

Enthusiasm of the high pitch order has developed since the recent announcement of the positive coming of Kitty Gordon in "The Enchantress" to the Victoria theatre two nights and matinee, starting September 28. The story of "The Enchantress" is simple yet effective. In the first act the Prince of Zergovia is something of a Don Juan, and who finally meets and falls in love with Vivien Savary, an opera singer. Miloch, the Regent, wishing to retain his power, plots to marry him to Vivien, as the law of Zergovia provides that unless the prince marries a princess he forfeits his title. In the second act Prince Ivan, just as he is relinquishing his throne for Vivien, finds that she is a princess by birth, thereby ending the story very happily. Miss Gordon sings the role of Vivien. Victor Herbert has infused a new spirit into this opera with many a delightful and haunting melody. The famous \$50,000 New York theatre production will positively be seen here, and with a cast supporting Miss Gordon worthy of the lady's own brilliancy, the engagement promises an uproariously funny comedy.

IS WELL PLEASED.

R. H. Sperling, General Manager of B. C. E. Railway, Makes Trip Over Saanich Interurban.

Highly satisfied with the appearance of the whole line and the disposition of the various stations along the route, R. H. Sperling, general manager of the British Columbia Electric Railway, stepped off a special observation car at the Douglas street terminal last night, after making a prolonged journey of inspection right from Victoria to Deep Bay. He found everything in good order, stopped off at many of the stations to examine them, and expressed himself as well satisfied with everything.

To-day he intended to make a visit to the company's plant and dam at Jordan River, but he was suddenly called back to Vancouver and will not be able to make the trip this week. However, he will be in Victoria again next week, and will take a couple of days to visit the works there in company with the local acting manager.

PRINCESS THEATRE

Has Play of Unusual Quality.

No one can deny that "Tribby" is a beautiful play, and it loses none of its beauty by the careful presentation given it this week by the Williams Co. They seem to have grasped the real atmosphere, which is heightened by the correctness of the many musical cues and interludes. Miss Page has certainly come into her own in "Tribby," and in the third act, where she has become a great singer, she makes a beautiful picture in her white-spangled robes, and the haunting melody of "Don't You Remember Sweet-Alice-Ben-Bolt?" which is carried all through the play, is thrillingly sweet. Sandy, the Scotchman, is a breezy, refreshing character, his bluntness gaining him many laughs. He is well played by Mr. Alden. Taffy, whose toast is always England, home and friends, falls to Mr. Sullivan, and he gets a great deal out of the part.

SPEAKS OF CHANGE.

Glasgow Resident Has Not Visited Victoria for Twenty-Five Years: Sees Transformation.

"This is my first visit to Victoria since 1888," said R. W. Henry this morning, "and the change is marvelous. When I was here before Victoria was a village, nothing more. Now it is a city of high destiny. It is a veritable transformation." Mr. Henry, who is accompanied by his wife, hails from Glasgow, another "village" on the banks of the Clyde, and from whence recently came the Lord Mayor to speak words of consolation to the Victoria City council. Mr. Henry has business interests in Manitoba, and could not forebear making his trip longer and coming to the Pacific coast. He says that he is glad now that he did so.

Oak Bay Improvements.—The report of the engineer of Oak Bay on the work of local improvement done during the past month shows that the following streets have been attended to: St. Patrick street, St. David street and King George terrace; sewer work on Church road, Longbranch avenue, Transit road, Heron street, Seagull avenue, Margate avenue and Crescent road; water mains on Church road, McNeill avenue and Laurel street; boulevarding on Hampshire Road north, St. Patrick street, Monterey avenue and Victoria avenue.

Natural History Society.—At the next meeting of the Natural History Society, on Monday evening, September 22, F. H. Mayhew, who returned about three weeks ago from a trip in Northern Canada in the course of which he visited Fort Macpherson and other points, will show a number of articles which he brought back from the Far North. Mr. Mayhew's collection includes a number of skins, bead-work ornaments, and cooking-utensils found among the Indians and blonde Esquimaux.

Borrow Fire Apparatus.—On recommendation of the works committee the Saanich council decided last night to instruct the clerk to communicate with the city council of Victoria and ask at what cost the municipality could have the service of the city's fire equipment for those portions of the smaller district immediately adjoining the city limits. Other recommendations of the committee which were adopted were those to ask for tenders for the heating of the municipal offices, to put a crossing in Quadra street at Falmouth road, and to repair Gordon Head road, Oak Bay paying half the cost.

WOMEN'S INTUITION:—

Women are credited with a sort of sixth sense—intuition—which keeps them right in many emergencies.

In nine cases out of ten, this so-called feminine intuition is nothing more than extreme carefulness and good judgment.

Women take pride in being careful and thrifty—they like to dress well and see their children dress well.

It is a source of satisfaction to them if they can look better than their neighbors, and do it for less money.

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By John Kendrick Bangs

THE OLD-TIME JOKE.

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That made me laugh in the days gone by.

Ere ever I knew what it was to be aghast.

And I laugh, and laugh, and deep of the cup of the past I quaff.

And ere I know from those youthful dreams I gather new plans, and more hopeful schemes.

IS TOURING WORLD.

Minneapolis Journalist Thinks Great Seaside Resort on Island Very Probable.

It is a pleasant thing to round the world by easy stages, and Louis L. Collins, a Minneapolis journalist, is thoroughly enjoying the experiment. Yesterday he returned to Victoria from a trip along the southwest coast of Vancouver island.

Mr. Collins predicts a great future for the south coast of the island. He says:

"The south coast of Vancouver island, beyond the straits and the open ocean, must some day be a mecca for Canadians and Americans who are seeking a holiday on the open ocean beach. Just as Seaside, Oregon, has become an Atlantic City of the west coast, so must Vancouver island some day have a popular resort on the sea. In fact I am surprised that this phase of development has been so slow in coming. The west coast of the island offers this site. The trip up the coast is most attractive and the Canadian Northern railroad development will make it possible for tourists to reach west coast by travelling a few miles from the railroad by water or land."

WATER AND DRAINAGE

Oak Bay Takes Up the Completion of Its Municipal Services.

With the enterprise which has always marked the municipal council of Oak Bay that body is now directing its attention to the necessity for the extension of the sewerage and water system to the entire area within the municipal bounds.

It will take some time to complete this work and it is not the intention of the council to proceed with it wholesale, but it will be necessary that the authority of the ratepayers be obtained, and to this end a by-law is to be drafted.

An estimate by Robert Fowler, the engineer of the town, places the cost of the work at about \$150,000. There will be required some 30,000 lineal feet of sewers to drain the portions of the municipality as yet not sewered. The Hudson's Bay property is not included in the plans, as it is not being thrown open to purchase.

The work will be done as the needs of each locality call for, and as the state of the money market allows of the debentures being sold at a good rate.

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St. John's W. A. Meets.—Mrs. R. H. Walker presided at the sewing meeting of St. John's church. Woman's Auxiliary yesterday afternoon. It was arranged to hold the annual donation party on Tuesday, October 7, to be followed in the evening by an entertainment entitled "Through the Panama Canal by Postcard."

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Along the Waterfront

Shipping News from Day to Day

STEAMSHIP WRECKED ON HER MAIDEN TRIP

Matsura Maru on Way From
Scotland to Japan Strikes
Reef Near Hongkong

Several days before the C. P. R. liner Empress of Japan, Capt. Hoper, left Hongkong for this port news had been received there of the wreck of the steamship Matsura Maru, a new vessel of 3,000 tons which was on her maiden voyage. The Matsura was built at the Russell Yard, Glasgow, for the order of the Mitsubishi Steamship Company and was being delivered to her owners when the accident overtook the vessel. She struck a reef 370 miles southwest of Hongkong and is likely to prove a total loss.

The Matsura left England for Japan on July 12 on her maiden voyage with cargo consisting of shipbuilding materials, iron, bricks and sundry goods to the amount of 4,000 tons. The N. P. K. European liner, Hatachi Maru, which happened to pass the spot on her outward voyage, found the Matsura Maru in distress, and she took the captain and the whole crew to Singapore on August 18.

Typhoon Weather Cause.

It is understood that the Matsura Maru met disaster owing to the South West typhoon which is prevalent in the above region at this time of the year. Though the captain of the Hatachi Maru who saw the vessel on August 18, was hopeful of successful rescue, the wrecked cargo was quickly discharged and the weather continued fine, it is now thought that in view of the severe southwest typhoon that visited Hongkong on August 18, the Matsura Maru may have been rendered helpless.

The cargo was insured for \$350,000. The greater part of it was shipbuilding material for the Mitsubishi Nagasaki and iron material for the Kure Yard at Naval Arsenal. These shipments are understood to be fully covered by insurance for \$322,500 with the Tokio Marine Insurance Company, Ltd. and two of three other companies. The Mitsubishi Company, after consultation with the underwriters, dispatched on August 20 a chartered steamer from Hongkong to inspect the condition of the ill-fated vessel.

YUKON IS POUNDING TO PIECES ON ALASKA REEF

Seattle, Sept. 17.—Officers of the United States revenue cutter Tahona, which reached Seattle on Monday after a five months' cruise in Behring Sea and western Alaska waters, reported that heavy seas were gradually pounding the wrecked steamship Yukon to pieces on the rocky shore at Sannak Island. The Tahona was cruising in the vicinity of the island at 7 p.m. on June 11, when the accident occurred, and received the first distress calls of the Yukon. The revenue cutter was under way in 15 minutes, but the wireless operator of the ill-fated craft had not given the position of his vessel correctly and the Tahona did not get to her until the next morning.

The Yukon struck in a dense fog while going at full speed. She went completely over one reef, through a large kelp bed, bringing up on Petrof reef, where she lies a total wreck. Officers of the Tahona say that the entire bottom was torn out of the vessel and that she is full of water.

Shortly after the accident the passengers and crew took to the life-boats, and after drifting about for nearly 14 hours were rescued by the prompt aid given by the Tahona.

DENSE FOG BLOCKS MARAMA'S PASSAGE

Australian Liner Ran Into Mists
Off Cape; May Not Arrive
Until To-morrow

Caught in a dense fog bank off Cape Flattery, the Canadian-Australian liner Marama, Capt. Rolfe, is being still further delayed in reaching Victoria, and it is possible that she may not reach William Head this evening in time to pass quarantine. Early this morning Capt. Rolfe flashed a wireless message to the Gonzales Hill station stating that his ship had run into a bad fog mist that it would be impossible to slip into the strait until the mists lifted.

Throughout the day the Marama's wireless has remained silent, and nothing has been learned about her position. Owing to the fact that the fog has enveloped the island of Tatoosh the Royal Mail steamship may have slipped in without the lookout there getting any sight of her. No report has been received of her passing in.

The Marama steamed into the fog banks last night when nearing the coast, and when it became so dense that it was impossible to see even a ship's length ahead, Capt. Rolfe sent the signal to the engineers for slow speed. The speed was gradually cut down until she had just steering way on. The noon report from Tatoosh reported dense fogs still prevailing, so the Marama may not reach William Head until late to-night, although Capt. Rolfe is expected to take opportunity of every lift in the fog in an attempt to get his practice this evening.

FALLS INTO CRANK PIT IS SMASHED TO PIECES

San Francisco, Sept. 17.—William Swan, first assistant engineer of the steamship Santa Barbara, fell into the ship's crank pit yesterday while oiling the engines and was smashed to death. His body was brought ashore to-day on the arrival of the vessel from Wilapa Harbor. His home is in Los Angeles.

UMATILLA LATE AGAIN

The Pacific coast steamship Umatilla is not getting away from Victoria until 7 o'clock this evening for San Francisco. She did not leave Seattle until 11 o'clock this morning, and cannot make this port until 6 this evening. The Umatilla has been delayed loading cargo on the Sound. She was scheduled to sail at 8 o'clock this morning. Among the passengers who will sail on the steamship will be Miss F. West, Wm. Grimm, and Mrs. J. W. Maynard and Miss M. Sheldon, who are going south to visit their mother in the Golden Gate.

NORTHERN FISHING FLEET IS TIED UP

Trawlers Remain at Prince
Rupert; Cannot Make Pro-
fitable Cruises

Through the terrific weather which has been sweeping over Hecate strait during the past few weeks the northern fishing fleet has been forced to remain in port, the owners deciding that it would be impossible to make paying cruises. At Prince Rupert the trawlers operated by the Canadian Fish & Cold Storage Company have remained at their berths and many of the fishing boats from Vancouver have been unable to launch their dories owing to the great seas and have found sheltered havens to await the abatement of the storm. The whalers have also been unable to pursue the big game.

For a solid month now the wind has been tearing across the Pacific coast from the southeast and at the present time it seems a long way from having blown itself out. Several of the trawlers put out from Prince Rupert to cruise off the halibut banks of Hecate strait, but no sooner did they "poke their noses outside the land than the heavy gales struck them. After steaming about for some days unable to put off the dories the vessels headed back for port and have been tied up at the cold storage plant since waiting for fair weather to set in.

No Accidents Reported.

Despite the fact that the southeasterly have been blowing for such a lengthy period of time, no accidents to steamships or sailing vessels have as yet been reported along the British Columbia coast. It is very fortunate that no sailors are due off Cape Flattery as they might find considerable difficulty in getting inside the land. The skipper of the British Columbia, who is in the water, has taken with him southeasterly blowing, as the skippers are not anxious to have their commands piled up on the shores of Vancouver Island.

The meteorological office is unable to offer any help as to when the prevailing weather will subside. The mariners would not mind the blows if they were not accompanied by the distressing rain which has been falling. Most navigators, upon returning from the north, have had coils on their chests, caused through exposure to the miserable weather.

NO DELAY THROUGH STRIKING.

Portland, Ore., Sept. 17.—Even with the detention due to the vessel having grounded at Henri's bar Saturday and being held there twenty-four hours, the Hamburg-American liner Brigravia will sail from Portland Friday, says Fritz Kirschhoff, agent for the fleet. A survey will be asked for, though she is not thought to have been damaged.

The vessel discharged yesterday at the North Bank dock, getting rid of 500 tons of inward cargo, and will be loaded with wheat, lumber and miscellaneous stuff. She will retrace her course by way of Puget Sound and the Orient to Hamburg.

The Pacific Mail packet Algos, which also was floated Monday, is waiting for the tide to take her over the Columbia river bar.

HAS DIRTY RUN SOUTH.

After a dirty trip from Granby Bay and Prince Rupert the G. T. P. steamer Prince Rupert, Capt. McKenzie, arrived in port this morning. Southeast gales and heavy rains were bucked all the way south. Among the passengers who arrived on her were George Willacott and Joe Moore, two local boys who had been in northern British Columbia for the summer. The Rupert leaves for the north at 10 o'clock to-morrow morning.

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BETTER FIND THAN SHUSHANNA STRIKE

Many Men Will Stampede to
Telkwa District to Pros-
pect, Says Real Estate Man

That the new gold strike at Telkwa, B. C., will prove a more important find than the one at Shushanna, Alaska, is the news brought south by P. H. Moore, a prominent real estate man of San Francisco, who with Mr. Roche of Honolulu, has been attending the sale of town lots in Shushanna. Mr. Moore reports that great excitement is prevailing at Prince Rupert and all points along the G. T. P. railway, and that many people are heading for Telkwa, as soon as he completes his business in the south he intends to head for the interior of British Columbia and try his luck. Moore and Roche arrived on the steamer Prince Rupert, which came into port this morning.

When the first prospector came out from Telkwa with the news of the strike the people were not inclined to believe him, owing to the fact that he was an old prospector who through his lengthy associations in the wild country, had learned to stretch the point a bit. But when he produced some of his takings everybody at once commenced to outfit and follow the prospector back to the diggings. Many claims have now been staked and the rush of gold-seekers is getting larger every day.

The Grand Trunk rail will be of great assistance to men who intend to go inland from the coast. At the present time the train is running to Morletown, 205 miles from Prince Rupert. Telkwa is about 45 or 50 miles further inland, but as there are stages operating from Morletown the trip will not take many hours to make. The prospectors will have about 125 miles to march before getting to the diggings where all the excitement has been created. Some men intend to march from Prince Rupert in as a shorter route has been discovered, but it will take more time to get in than by going part of the way by rail.

A number of the unemployed men in both Victoria and Vancouver are now preparing for the rush, and during the next few weeks it is expected that a similar stampede to that witnessed when the men got away for the Shushanna will be again witnessed.

San Francisco, Cal.—Arrived: Steamer Quinault, Willapa Harbor; steamer Lebus, Unalakleet; steamer Wilhelmina, Honolulu; steamer Jim Butler, Olympia; steamer Beaver, Portland; barque Pactolus, Naknek; schooner Henry Wilson, Bristol Bay; schooner Gamble, Port Ludlow.

WIRELESS REPORTS

September 17, 8 a. m.

Point Grey.—Clear; calm; 29.94; 45; In, 7.05 p. m., S. S. Empress of Japan. Cape Lazo.—Cloudy; calm; 29.95; 57; sea smooth.

Tatoosh.—Foggy; W. 4 miles; 30.00; 58; sea smooth. In, S. S. Buchanan, 5.30 p. m.

Pachena.—Foggy; calm; 29.78; 49; dense.

Estevan.—Overcast; calm; 29.80; 50; sea moderate. Spoke, 9.20 a. m., S. S. Chicago Maru, westbound.

Triangle.—Foggy; N. E. light; 29.82; 57; dense. Spoke, 7 p. m., S. S. Prince Albert, southbound, Esq Island.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; calm; 29.65; 56; sea smooth.

Point Grey.—Overcast; calm; 29.95; 64; sea smooth.

Cape Lazo.—Misty; calm; thick sea; 29.83; 67; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Camosun, leaving Campbell River 10 a. m., reports thick fog off Cape Mudge.

Tatoosh.—Foggy; S. 15 miles; 29.98; 64; sea smooth.

Pachena.—Foggy; raining; S.; 29.70; 50; dense. Spoke, 11.15 a. m., S. S. Teak, leaving Ucluelet.

Estevan.—Drizzling; calm; 29.74; 56; sea moderate.

Triangle.—Raining; N. E.; 29.26; 58; sea moderate. Spoke, S. S. Princess Ena, 7 a. m., off Pine Island, northbound.

Ikeda.—Cloudy; N.; 29.65; 53; light swell.

Prince Rupert.—Cloudy; N. W.; 29.65; 58; sea smooth. In, 5.55 a. m., S. S. Prince George; S. S. Vado, 9 a. m.

Dead Tree Point.—Overcast; N. W.; light; sea smooth.

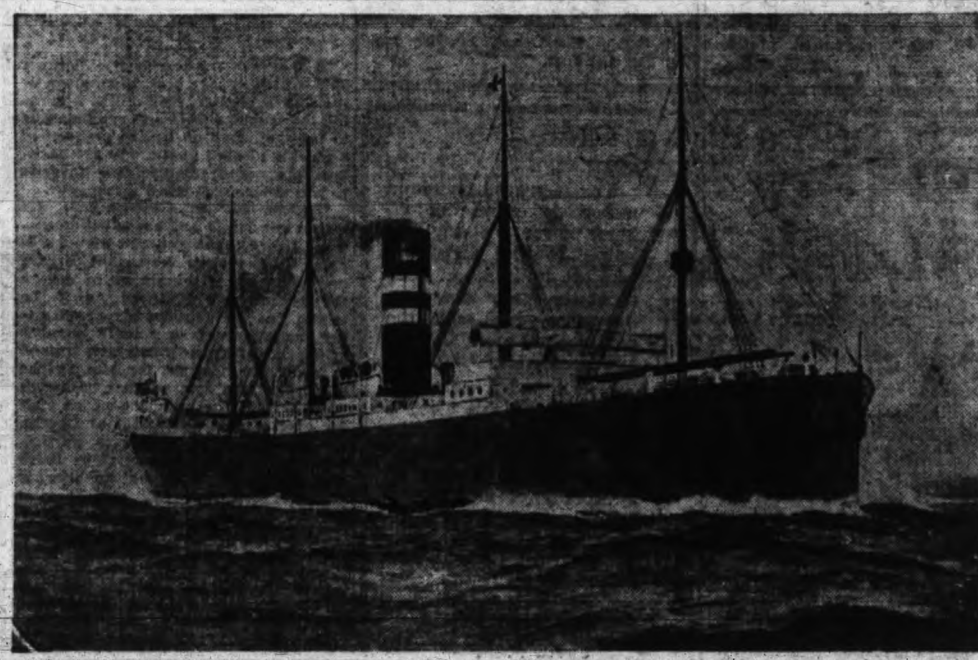
Alert Bay.—Raining; S. E.; 29.82; 63; sea smooth. Spoke, S. S. Queen City, southbound, 6 a. m.

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TO SOUND BY HUMBOLDT

Seattle, Sept. 17.—With treasure cargo valued at approximately \$250,000 from Fairbanks and Dawson, a shipment of canned salmon aggregating 12,000 cases, 30 boxes of fresh salmon and 97 passengers, the steamship Humboldt arrived at pier 7 at 6.30 this morning from Southeastern Alaskan ports.

Among the Humboldt's passengers are a number of prospectors returning from the new goldfields on the Shushanna. The Humboldt will sail on her next voyage to Skagway and way ports at 10 a. m. Thursday.

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DEEP SEA ARRIVALS.

Steamer.	Master.	Tonnage.	Agents.	From.	Due.
Alex.	Thompson	1,250	Dodwell & Co.	Hongkong.	Sept. 22
Antiochus	Flynn	5,762	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool.	Sept. 21
Awa Maru	Anakawa	3,200	Great Northern.	New York.	Sept. 20
Buena Ventura	Fitzsimmons	3,065	Evans, Coleman & Evans.	Hongkong.	Sept. 18
Canada Maru	Hori	3,832	R. P. Rithet.	Hongkong.	Oct. 4
Canada Cape	Jarvis	2,800	C. F. R.	Sydney.	Sept. 20
Den of Crombie	Jarvis	2,800	Findlay, Durham & Brodie	Hull.	Oct. 24
Den of Glamis	Beetham	2,291	C. F. R.	Hongkong.	Sept. 27
Empress Russia	Beetham	5,789	Singer	Java.	Sept. 20
Gleneden	Vincent	4,529	R. P. Rithet.	Liverpool.	Sept. 20
Huntsman	Repenhousen	6,700	Dodwell & Co.	Liverpool.	Oct. 25
Ixion	Repenhousen	6,700	C. F. R.	Australia.	Sept. 16
Marama	Rolls	2,652	C. P. R.	Hongkong.	Sept. 22
Monteagle	Davison	1,983	C. P. R.	Australia.	Oct. 14
Makura	Phillips	4,221	C. P. R.	Australia.	Oct. 14
Malaspina	Fishery Cruiser	12,325	Great Northern.	Greenock.	Nov. 20
Minnesota	Garlick	12,325	Evans, Coleman & Evans.	New York.	Sept. 20
Santa Rosalia	Reichard	2,468	Great Northern.	Hongkong.	Sept. 24
Tamba Maru	Noda	3,800	R. P. Rithet & Co.	Hongkong.	Oct. 2
Tecoma Maru	Hamada	2,800	R. P. Rithet & Co.	Sydney.	Oct. 2
Tyrone	C. H. R.	2,652	Gardner, Johnson	Hamburg.	Oct. 10
Uckermark	Rhode	2,652	Gardner, Johnson	Hamburg.	Oct. 10

DEEP-SEA DEPARTURES.

Shizuka Maru, G.N., Hongkong, Sept. 22
Empress of Japan, C.P.R., H'g'g, Sept. 23
Monteagle, C.P.R., H'g'g, Sept. 23
Marama, C.P.R., Australia, Oct. 1
Cyclops, Dodwell Co., Liverpool, Oct. 1
Tamba Maru, G.N., Hongkong, Oct. 1
Canada Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'g'g, Oct. 10
Tecoma Maru, R. P. Rithet, H'g'g, Oct. 14

SAILERS COMING.

Frida Mahn, German barque, Callao.
Isabella Brown, Russian barque, from Callao.
Inca, American schooner, from Newcastle, N. S. W.
Atlante, Peruvian barque, Iquique.
Jak. Tuff, American barquentine, New York, N. S. W. Sailed Sept. 15.
Postblock, British barque, Sydney, to land at Vancouver.

COASTING VESSELS.

From Northern Ports.

Princess Sophia, P. R., Skagway, Sept. 22
Prince Rupert, G. T. P., Granby Bay, Sept. 21
Venture, U. S. Co., Bella Coola, Sept. 24
Prince Albert, G. T. P., Q. Charl'tes, Sept. 24
Prince George, G. T. P., Stewart, Sept. 21

For Northern Ports.

Prince Rupert, G. T. P., Granby Bay, Sept. 18
Prince Albert, G. T. P., Q. Charl'tes, Sept. 19
Princess May, C. P. R., Skagway, Sept. 19
Prince George, G. T. P., Stewart, Sept. 22
Venture, U. S. Co., Bella Coola, Sept. 24

For West Coast.

Princess Maquinna, Holberg, Sept. 22
Toos, Claydon, Sept. 19

From San Francisco.

City of Puebla, Pacific Coast, Sept. 18
Umatilla, Pacific Coast, Sept. 20

For San Francisco.

Princess Pacific Coast, Sept. 17

EASTERN CANADIAN LETTER

BY B. B. COOKE

Toronto, Sept. 14.—Hand in hand with the Eastern theatrical season come a series of plays turning on sex questions, and hand in hand with the policemen who regulate traffic in front of the theatres are the censors of the city of Toronto and a brigade of representatives from the ten or a dozen morality, social reform, social service, Lord's Day Alliance, Vigilance Committee, Purity League, etc., etc., watch night and day over the morals of the city. Chiefest among these guardians is the Rev. Dr. Shearer, to whose indefatigable personality, the Miller racing bill is due, and who now heads the department of social services and evangelism in the Presbyterian church in Canada. First among the alleged objectionable plays and first to receive the attention of the censors, is "The Blindness of Virtue." Recalling the moral, mental and spiritual disturbance caused by the play "Dolores" last season, the city anticipated trouble in the case of "The Blindness of Virtue."

The tide appears to be changing a little in the Rev. Dr. Shearer's favor. His pronouncement against sex plays in general as given out when interviewed about "The Blindness of Virtue" before he had seen it, was accepted by a great majority in the city as being sane and wholesome and a fairly sound basis from which to view the greater number of these risqué plays.

"There is no doubt," he said, referring to the fact that "The Blindness of Virtue" is supposed to be a warning to parents who bring up their children without giving them instruction in vital subjects, "that very many fall by the wayside for lack of proper instruction. Prudery has probably contributed as largely to impurity as any other cause. But such information must be committed with the utmost care, and it calls for unusual wisdom and purity of character in the instructor. I might add that in the light of recent occurrences in Toronto our theatres appear to be about the last place on earth where such instruction should be given."

There seems to be a tendency among fiction-writers and public entertainers to take advantage of the present revival of interest in the promotion of purity for selfish and sensational purposes. Undoubtedly some people are exploiting this revival for their own ends.

People who have differed with Rev. Dr. Shearer in many of his other public utterances agree with him heartily in this. The feeling seems to be growing that certain American monthly magazines and certain American writers that are extremely popular among sentimental school girls here as elsewhere are taking advantage of every opportunity to tell something lurid and risqué under the guise of teaching and uplifting. One successful sex play will make a fortune for the play-writer and another for the producer. It may not have any real lesson to teach, but under the pretence of teaching gets past the conscience of the man or the woman who would otherwise be ashamed to be seen in the audience. Torontonians are some of them beginning to say there would be less harm to send a young man regularly to the most coarse burlesque show where the entertainment carries with it its own antidote than to the so-called family theatres, where fake ideas are inserted into young minds under the guise of being "intellectual," and where subtle allusions, fibes and references to things commonly held in esteem tend to disrupt the young person's sense of values.

Are in Canada. The art gallery at the Toronto exhibition probably drew more adult visitors than any other part of this big fair. Most people were interested first of all in the Canadian pictures. "But what have our own men done?" they would ask, and would look through the catalogue until they had found the Canadian list. The comment on these paintings varied. Some was favorable.

"Canadian painters," some said, "don't seem to paint as interesting pictures as the foreign painters—the French and the British and even the Americans. They seem to be always painting at the same old subjects, Laurentian mountains, Quebec fables, portraits of fat bank managers or college presidents. Sometimes they do a head or an imaginative thing, but even then they handle it timidly, not in the same bold strokes. No. There's no getting around it: Art in Canada is pretty dull."

That is an extreme point of view, of course. On the other hand, there are the men and women who have taken time to study the Canadian painters and their efforts and who perhaps understand them better than their casual critics.

"There are some master painters among the younger Canadian artists," one is told. "Some of the older men, such as J. W. L. Forster and Wylie Grier, won their laurels years ago, but the younger fellows are reaching new heights. Look at that! And that! And that!"

They point, perhaps, to one of Curtis Williamson's portraits, works which do not appeal to the casual on-looker, but which are said by competent judges to stand up beside the finest works shown anywhere in the world. Of them they may point to one of young Lawrence Harris's studies in light and shadow, or a prairie scene by Charles Jeffreys, or a landscape by J. W. Beattie. These are younger men. They have all had their London, Paris, and New York experience. They have all won honors in the salons abroad. Williamson is a dark, handsome bachelor, who has independent means and only paints what it pleases him to paint. It is said he refused to finish a painting of a certain Toronto financial man because he disliked the man's personality. It is said also that he was successful in carrying out his rule of painting characters and not likenesses that the martinet character of a certain Quebec business man shone from the canvas, much to the delight of his critics, the chagrin of his flatterers and the bewilderment of the man himself, who knew it was like him but could not tell why it made him uncomfortable to regard it.

Beatty and Jeffreys are men who live by art and art alone. Beatty was once a sign-painter, once a railroad fireman, and once in a city fire brigade. He is a big, bluff man, with a heavy fist and a heavy voice, and yet, in his studio, he labors as tenderly over a delicate piece of coloring as though he were a regulation painter. There is fresh air and sun and wind in his canvases. He is regarded as a coming man. Jeffreys is the reverse in type, almost fragile in build. He was at one time a New York illustrator and later did some remarkable pen and ink work for the Toronto Star. His interpretations of the prairie are the best that have appeared. One of them was bought by the government and is now in the hands of the prime minister. He has caught the subtle colorings, and rendered the swing and sweep and the "lift" of the plains as has none other. He excels in fine pen and ink work.

Lawren Harris is a very young artist who has personal means. He refuses to sell any of his paintings, but "lends" them to his friends, or to those whom he believes understands what he is getting at. He is probably the most popular artist in Canada, unaffected, good-natured, wholesome in his ideas of life, and quick to appreciate the good work of his fellow artists. He is alive with enthusiasm for art in Canada. Like the others, he has studied abroad. He has lived in Germany and has travelled all through Persia and the Holy Land, whither he went on a commission from Harper's Monthly, with Norman Duncan, the writer. His recent pictures have been studies in light and shadow. There is probably no one on this continent, certainly not in Canada, who can make a common piece of studio canvas sparkle with sunlight as he can.

None of the important younger artists in the East seem to have made any effort to paint scenes from the Canadian Rockies. This great field for the artist appears to have been neglected since Bell-Smith made his paintings some years ago. The criticism is true of most Canadian artists as of most Canadians east of Fort William, that they think Canada is only as wide as Ontario. This is not true of all of them. Some are kept down by downright lack of time, others by lack of funds. Canadian painters do not, it is said, receive nearly the support from Canadians that they deserve. On the principle that a painting, like a prophet, has no honor in his own country, rich Canadians will pay a thousand dollars for a daub from an Amsterdam dealer and best the Canadian down to two hundred dollars for a better canvas of the same size.

Sir William Home. The most successful borrower of money in all Canada, Sir William Mackenzie, is home again. He raised thirteen million on his last trip, all of which goes into the Canadian Northern Railway. Seen by your correspondent he was in radiant humor.

"Money!" he exclaimed. "Of course there is money to be had. Times hard? No danger. Real estate has had a setback and will continue to labor under a disadvantage, I think. But for legiti-

mate business enterprise there is capital available up to any reasonable amount."

He went on to point out that the Canadian Northern had built 840 miles of road since January 1, 1913. Most of this was main line. "I expect," he said, "that Toronto and the Rockies will be linked up by the C.N.R. before the year is out. There are only a few miles remaining to be completed between Port Arthur and Sudbury."

GANGES HARBOR FAIR

Splendid Exhibits Are to Be Seen Today at the Salt Spring Town.

Today is the great day of the year on Salt Spring Island, the seventeenth annual fair being held at Ganges Harbor under the auspices of the Islands Agricultural and Fruit Growers' Association.

This is always one of the very best of the fairs held among the Islands, and is attended by hundreds of visitors from the city, as well as by practically all the population of the neighboring Islands.

For variety and quality of the produce and farm stock shown the Ganges Harbor fair is not to be excelled anywhere and there has been a steady advance in this respect since the association took hold. The grounds are well situated and the association has on their buildings that are a credit to the people of Salt Spring.

The exhibits this year are greatly in excess of those of any former year, and in quality have reached a high standard, one that will give the judges some work to decide between the respective exhibitors. In addition to the usual farm and garden entries there is a fine display of household wares and of the work of the children in the schools of the island.

This morning the Joan left with a full complement of passengers for Ganges and will return late this evening.

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Mrs. S. of Trenton, was in despair. A living father and a careful provider when sober—her husband had gradually fallen into drinking habits, which were ruining his home, health and happiness. Drink had inflamed his stomach and nerves and created that unnatural craving that kills conscience, love, honor and breaks all family ties. But read her letter:

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REQUESTS FOR WALKS

Sanish Residents Want Roads Prepared for Winter Season.

With the approach of winter the Sanish council is receiving a host of requests for sidewalks over new roads which lie in swampy or muddy ground. Most of these requests were referred at last night's meeting to the superintendent of works for reports on the probable cost.

A petition was received from the residents of Orillia road for a sidewalk up from George road. Another petition asked for a walk in Haultain street from Mount Tolmie road to Fowl Bay road, as this portion of the street became impassable during the rainy season. A. H. Parker, Cedar Terrace, asked for 400 feet of even single plank across the swamp from the main road to the group of houses where he lived. L. J. Young complained that the sidewalk in Whittier street had a dangerous dip into the road, and this was referred to the British Columbia Electric Railway.

G. P. Player asked for some system of running the water off the lower side of Richard road, as it flooded his place in the winter time. The sanitary officer was asked to report on the gutter which Mrs. George Levitt complained of in Eldon Place off Burnside road. She complained that her tenants had been driven from the house by the stench.

The matter of putting lights on the George road from Tillikum to Craigflower roads was also referred to the superintendent for an estimate of cost. A deputation asked for the lights.

Motorists may now look forward hopefully to a possible reduction in the cost of tires if the latest discovery as to the manufacture of rubber from seaweed proves feasible of practical utilization. A method has been found for manufacturing from seaweed a substance which, it is declared, can be used as an inexpensive substitute for rubber and leather.

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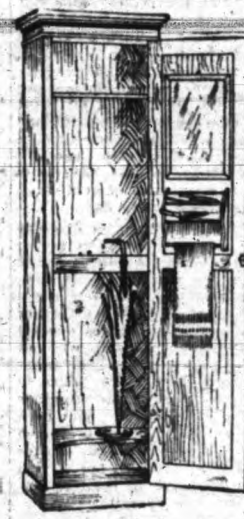
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SPORTING NEWS

(CONTINUED)

MANY HORSES HERE FOR OPENING CARD

150 Animals Now at Willows and 50 More Are Expected

An additional shipment of forty horses arrived at the Willows track this morning from Vancouver and indications point to the breaking of many track records at the coming meeting under the auspices of the British Columbia Agriculture Association, which is to open on Saturday afternoon. There are now about 150 horses at the local track, and fully fifty more animals will arrive before the opening. Workouts are being held every morning, the runners having the track until ten o'clock, when the trotters enter upon the scene.

Edmonton Stables were one of the first to disembark their horses this morning, while from Spokane, Stimpallia, Buri and Lady Rensselaer also arrived. The following horses were received here from Vancouver: J. C. Terris with Port Johnstone, Zulu, High Range, Rinsax, Hester, Calera, Repose and Spalding. Dick Ripley brought in Forge, Va. Va, Amador, Mandadero, Chas. Bogan, with Big Lumox. Ted Walker has V. Baylis' Daughter. Ira Glascock brought Loula and Vireo.

"Frisco" Hoag, with Miss Sly, Ben Stone, Allen Kripp, E. J. Ramsay has Mowler, Compton, Downland, La Estrella and Jack. Pete McKinnip with Ernest H. and Quick Trip. A. Hubbard has Kittisban. E. S. Gore, a former Victorian, who is now a millionaire architect of Mexico City, has sent his good runner, Tom G., to the meet under the care of trainer R. H. Harris. The latter also has Flying Footsteps and Hugh Grey in his stable. A week from Saturday the Victoria Exhibition Stake will be staged.

IMPORTANT ITEMS FOR SOCCER CLUBS

A number of important items will be discussed at to-night's meeting of the Victoria and District Football Association, which will be held at Sam Lorrimer's billiard hall on Douglas street. The schedule for the second division will be adopted, while it is likely that affiliation with the Dominion Football Association will be talked of. Several surprises in the matter of players signing with different teams will also be laid bare at to-night's gathering.

Johnny Peden and Cyril Baker have again signed with the Wests, while King, of the Sons of England, has signed a Victoria West certificate. Stevens and Jamieson will also be available. A meeting of this club will be held at 202 Russell street to-night, and a practice will be held on Saturday.

Professional football is a dead issue on the Mainland for this season at least. If the resolution passed at a meeting of the Vancouver and District Football League asking for reinstatement by the B.C.A.A.U. can be taken as any criterion.

LIFE-SAVING TESTS BOOKED THIS MONTH

Two life saving competitions of first importance will be run off by the Royal Life Saving Society late this month and early in October, the prizes to be awarded being the Benwell and Desborough cups.

On September 27 at the Y. M. C. A. swimmers will meet in competition for the individual life saving championship of the province with which goes the Benwell cup. Entries close September 22, and must be sent in to W. D. Muir, acting secretary, 312 Jones building, accompanied by a fee of 25 cents.

The Desborough cup tests for two men teams will be held October 4. As in the case of the Benwell tests, the provincial title goes with the cup. Entries close the last day of September.

ENTERTAINMENT FOR CRICKET ELEVENS

It is announced that the Allen Players have invited the Australian and Cowichan clubs to be present at their performance on September 25. The Oak Bay moving picture theatre has also extended an invitation to the cricketers to visit their new theatre on September 26. It is announced that the Victoria Cricket Club has extended the use of its grounds to the cricketers who wish to practise for the Australian series. The Australians will meet a picked Victoria team in a baseball game at the Royal Athletic Park on Monday, September 27. Walter Lorrimer being selected to gather together an All-Star Victoria nine.

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RITCHIE WILL BE SUED FOR DAMAGES

Vancouver, Sept. 17.—As an aftermath of the Welsh-Ritchie lightweight championship boxing contest scheduled for next Saturday, but which was called off when Willie Ritchie made his hasty retreat to California, there will be a legal action taken by Freddie Welsh against the champion for damages for breach of contract.

Welsh, through his manager, Harry Pollock, stated to-day that he would be at the Brighthouse Arena next Saturday afternoon at the hour named in the articles of agreement for the contest, and in the presence of Al Hager, the official stakeholder, would weigh in according to the conditions specified at 135 pounds at 12.15 o'clock.

Welsh will lay claim to the forfeit of \$2,500 for appearance which Ritchie posted by a San Francisco cheque, but which the champion was careful to stop at the bank, and will also ask for damages. He claims that he has been cheated out of a number of remunerative matches through having to stick around here waiting for Ritchie.

FATHER BERNARD VAUGHAN.

He is Greater Than His Work—A Striking Personality.

Nearly all men of great reputation are disappointing to meet in the flesh. But Father Bernard Vaughan is no exception of them. He is greater than his work. There is scarcely a book he has written that has not many exaggerations—unconscious, no doubt, but real. He is a master of the purple adjective, of the loud voice, of the impressive manner. These qualities do not go much in the written word; in cold print they look like substantial defects. But when backed by his presence, they assume an importance and a weight that are overwhelming. It is impossible to resist his enthusiasm, impossible not to be carried away by all that he says, though on reflection you will possibly disagree with much that he has told you. He has the power of deep sincerity, the strength that always accompanies confidence in self. His plump, healthy face, with its honest eyes, the well-defined eyebrows and finely-shaped nose, the decided, indeed, aggressive chin—these combine to give an impression of robustness mingled with geniality. His geniality can on occasion be infectious. But his righteous anger, fed by a temperament that is elastic and full of emotion, can be the short of terrible. Still, he knows the value of reserve. In his books he keeps back little or nothing, but in his sermons his manner is usually quiet, even though the matter he sternly de. Recently he reached the age of 65, but no one would dream of calling him an old man. When in Manchester fifteen years ago he showed no vigor than he does to-day. He puts zest into everything he does, and to many he is known as "the Father who never gets tired." But the truth is, he never shows his weariness. In the East End of London he is welcomed wherever he goes; the poor know him for a true friend with a heart of gold, and he is accessible to all. A wide traveller and an earnest student of all phases of society, he has an understanding of the needs of the people. The people recognize by understanding him. London Citizen.

STORY OF A FAMOUS SOLDIER OF FRANCE

General de Negrier and His Stirring Career; Hero of the Franco-Prussian War

General de Negrier, whose death was announced recently, belonged to a family of distinguished soldiers. His grandfather was a naval captain of the ancient regime, who emigrated and died at Lisbon. His uncle served under Napoleon, distinguished himself at Friedland, was wounded at Waterloo, and fell in the street fighting in Paris in June, 1848. His father was also a general, and after acquiring himself well in the Crimea, carried the famous cemetery at Solferino while serving as a brigadier in Ladmirault's division.

Some interesting stories of the valor and dash of General de Negrier, who was seventy-four years of age, are recalled by Paris correspondents. He served as captain in the Franco-German war, says the London Telegraph, was made prisoner after the capitulation of Metz, escaped, rejoined the army, and was twice wounded. Later he took part in several expeditions against the Arabs in Algeria, became lieutenant-colonel in 1878, colonel in 1879, and brigadier-general in 1883. He took part in the Tonkin campaign of 1884-5, and was severely wounded. In 1894 he was elected a member of the high council of war and made an army inspector.

Marching Feat.

He commanded in the field against the Black Flags in Cochinchina, and was renowned by extricating his brigade from a perilous situation by a remarkable feat of marching. The general exerted great influence with the rank and file of his troops. He never spared himself, and his bodily strength and endurance were very remarkable.

On one occasion he stood in the ice-cold stream of an Alpine river with the water up to his middle while his whole brigade waded through the water. He knew exactly how to handle the French soldier by word and example, and enjoyed great popularity and renown in the barracks.

It was General de Negrier who suppressed with a stern hand in 1881 the insurrection in South Algeria. To de Negrier, who had been the centre of the revolt, he had undermined with dynamite and connected electrically with his camp at a distance, says the London Mail. When all was ready General de Negrier pressed the button while he was taking coffee with his officers and blew up the shrine. A number of natives perished in the ruins.

During forced marches when he was a colonel he refused to ride, but would walk at the rear of his regiment with a knife, ready to cut the badges of rank from the sleeves of any non-commissioned officer who fell behind.

Duel With a Minister.

A real soldier of the old school, General de Negrier fought a duel a few years ago with General Andre, ex-minister of war. De Negrier, says the London Chronicle, asked the matter quite seriously, and asked that the weapons should be army revolvers loaded with six bullets, and that the combatants should stand at a distance of ten yards. As General Andre's seconds refused to accept these very unusual conditions, when he did meet General Andre, De Negrier refused to fire.

The military correspondent of the London Telegraph, in an appreciation of the dead soldier, says: "De Negrier was a great student and prolific writer of military science. He differed, however, from the fundamental principles which have been officially adopted by the chiefs of the French army, and his theories on the questions of fire tactic, shock, and the handling of infantry in general do not commend themselves to the rising generation of French leaders."

He was always ready to make new friends, and was as modest as he was distinguished. To any officer whom he recognized as a real soldier, he would spare neither time nor trouble in explaining his views. General de Negrier loved England.

JURY'S UNANIMITY.

The precociousness to an Englishman of a unanimous jury gives rise to an amusing tale told by a Manchester Guardian correspondent.

A friend of his was on a jury at an assize, and a prisoner was being tried on a charge for which, if convicted, he would have gone to prison for a very long term indeed.

Eleven of the jury believed him guilty; the friend of the correspondent, a man of an excellent mind, acute, accustomed to weighing evidence, was convinced that the prisoner was innocent.

The jury wrangled away in retirement—or rather the eleven wrangled about the one. The one removed himself placidly, and smoked. The last word is to be emphasized.

The single dissident discovered at once that he was the only member of the jury provided with adequate supplies of tobacco. Hours passed; the eleven grew less and less energetic; the one remained no less placid. They were out altogether for five or six hours.

In the end the prisoner was unanimously acquitted.

TO BE READY SOON.

W. W. Suttle, of the St. George's School, said that although it would take longer than was at first thought to put the proposed new tennis club in complete working order, he and others supporting the project hoped to have everything ready for play on the grass courts very shortly.

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THE LION AND THE LAMB.

The tidings that a lamb will appear on the stage in the production of "Joseph and His Brethren" has been noised far and wide. Several correspondents have written to ask why a lion should not also appear, the pair lying side by side. But that has already been done, by Lord George Ronger, and thereby hangs a tale (says the "Daily Citizen").

When the sale of the old showman's menagerie took place the two animals were put up together and bought by Mr. Fred Ginnett, of Dick Turpin fame. By this time the lamb had got pretty long in the tooth, to say the least of it. A few days afterwards an acquaintance asked Mr. Ginnett how the happy pair were getting on. "I wish I had never seen them," said the showman gloomily. "Why? In he savage?" "Savage is not the word for it. He won't let anyone near him." "Indeed! I thought he looked such a mild old lion." "Light? Lion he showed! It's the lamb I mean. He butts like a battering ram."

WANTED TO MAKE SURE PRESIDENT WAS DEAD

Extraordinary Episode at the Funeral of Late Chief Executive of Hayti

Hr. Marfeld Kemp, a civil engineer in the employment of the National railroad of Hayti, who recently arrived at New York, tells a remarkable story regarding the last rites over the body of the late President Tancrede Auguste of Hayti.

"They have various ways of impeaching presidents in Hayti," said Mr. Kemp, "and there have been more presidents in Hayti in a given time than in any other known republic in the world. The late Tancrede Auguste

was impeached by poison delicately adjusted to his food."

After the Poisoning.

As soon as he was dead, most elaborate arrangements were made for his funeral. If, indeed, they had not been made before his sudden taking off. As befitting one of his rank, he had a grand funeral in the cathedral of Port au Prince.

It was arranged that after the church services there should be a great military sargent, and the late president should be buried with full military honors. I was the only American in the church. The music and the singing were beautiful, the ceremonial most impressive.

The air was heavy with incense, and the solemn quiet of the big church lent dignity and awe to the occasion. The funeral oration was in French, and the late president received a great tribute. At the conclusion of the oration the rites of the church were completed, and then the body was turned over to the military for burial.

Six soldiers stood on either side of the leaden casket all through the ser-

vice, their rifle butts resting on the floor. Suddenly from somewhere in the church rang the sharp command, delivered in a deep voice—"Present arms."

There was a slight stir in the church, and then all was quiet. The soldiers raised their rifles, not to the present, but to their shoulders, and twelve bullets went tearing into the leaden casket. In a moment everybody stood up. But that was not all. In the church were fifty or sixty more soldiers, and as the guard of honor finished peppering the casket their companions raised their guns and turned loose a volley towards the ceiling.

They subsequently buried the late president, filled up the grave, fired three volleys over it, and marched back to town behind a band playing ragtime. It was some funeral. The reason given for the strange action of the soldiers was that "they wanted to make sure Auguste was dead."

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SOCIAL AND PERSONAL

(All personal items sent by mail for publication must be signed with the name and address of the sender.)

Mrs. E. H. Wells, of Seattle, is staying at the Empress hotel.

Charles Widing, of Vancouver, is staying at the Empress hotel.

F. D. Kendrick, of Vancouver, is registered at the Empress hotel.

C. D. King, of Hamilton, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

H. T. Young, of Toronto, is among the guests at the Empress hotel.

W. J. Cole is here from Portland, and is registered at the Empress hotel.

John E. Ritchie is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Montreal.

J. F. R. Webber is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Portland.

Mrs. Otto Weller will be at home on Thursday, September 18, from 3 to 6.

N. G. Gore Langton is among the guests at the Empress hotel from Vernon.

L. Jacobs is staying at the Strathcona hotel while in the city from Vancouver.

J. McGibbon is in the capital from Oakland, Cal.—a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

Mr. and Mrs. R. W. Henry, of Glasgow, are among the guests at the Empress hotel.

A. J. Schultz is visiting the city from Los Angeles, and is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

H. M. Blackburn is here from Toronto, and is registered for a few days at the Empress hotel.

F. S. Butler is registered at the Strathcona hotel, where he arrived yesterday from Seattle.

George Butterfield is here from Ottawa, and is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel.

Mrs. G. Clark is among those who are in the city from San Francisco. She is a guest at the Strathcona hotel.

George E. Dornon, of San Francisco, is staying for a few days at the Empress hotel, where he arrived yesterday.

W. L. Macdonald and Mrs. Macdonald came over from Vancouver yesterday and registered at the Strathcona hotel.

Among those spending a short time in the city from Vancouver is J. R. Collins, who came to the Strathcona hotel yesterday.

A. Taylor arrived in the capital yesterday from Toronto and will spend a short time here. He is staying at the Strathcona hotel.

C. A. De Villars, of Pretoria, South Africa, is at the Empress hotel for a few days. He arrived on the Empress of Japan yesterday.

Gother Mann and E. A. Mann, both of Capetown, arrived on the Empress of Japan yesterday, and are staying for a few days in Victoria.

A small party arrived at the Empress hotel yesterday from Delaware, Ohio, composed of Mr. and Mrs. J. B. Driver, Mrs. A. Smith and M. L. Smith.

G. Grimmer, J. D. Noonan and G. Wille, all of Johannesburg, South Africa, are all staying for a day or two at the Empress hotel prior to proceeding eastward to the Old Country. They arrived yesterday on the Empress of Japan.

Mrs. George W. Robinson (nee Bailey) will hold her post-nuptial reception tomorrow at the residence of her mother, Mrs. S. O. Bailey, 303 Cook street, between the hours of 2 to 6 o'clock in the afternoon, and from 8 to 10.30 o'clock in the evening.

The first tunnel through the Alps, the Mont Cenis or Col de Frejus tunnel, was formally opened forty-two years ago to-day, when a train of twenty-two carriages passed through in twenty minutes. The tunnel is a little less than eight miles long, and cost \$13,000,000. Plans for the tunnel connecting Italy and France were drawn up in 1848, but their execution was prevented by the war of the following year. The work of excavation was commenced in 1857. The Italians were in charge of the work, but the French government bore the chief expense. The next Alpine tunnel, the St. Gothard, over nine miles long, was opened in 1881, and in 1884 the Alberg tunnel was inaugurated. The Wasserfuh tunnel was completed in 1909, the Simplon in 1906, the Loetschberg was inaugurated this year, and the Mont d'Or is now building. The Simplon, twelve and a half miles, is the longest. The highest railway tunnel in the world, and the one most difficult of construction, is that through the Andes, connecting Argentina and Chile. It is 12,000 feet above sea level, and was opened in 1910.

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Aviation's Toll of Death Begins Five Years Ago To-day.

This is "Selfridge Day," a day of solemn memories for those bird-men, who, in the interests of science and humanity, or for sport, or money, or sheer dare-devil love for danger, are engaged in that greatest of modern adventures, the conquest of the air.

It was five years ago to-day, at Fort Myer, Va., that the name of Lieut. Myers was written at the head of the now interminable list of those killed in aviation accidents. Five years ago the roll headed by the gallant army officer who was the first martyr to the new science of flying grows into scores, and into hundreds, and doubtless will be numbered by thousands before the goal is reached and flying has been made at least as safe as riding on the trains of the New Haven railway.

Nearly a year passed after the death of Selfridge before aviation's martyr-roll gained new names. On September 7, 1909, Eugene Lefebvre was killed at Juvisy, France, and on the same day Enos Rost was killed in Rome while testing a machine of his own invention. Later in the same month Capt. L. F. Ferber, the distinguished French pioneer bird-man, was killed at Boulogne. In December A. Fagnandez, a Spanish aviator, was added to the list, his death being caused by the explosion of his motor while in flight.

The year of 1910 witnessed a great increase in the number of aviators, and a consequent increase in accidents. There were some 100 exhibition flights at fairs and exhibitions, and the new profession naturally attracted a class of men who sought to surpass each other in feats of recklessness and dare devilry. Leon Delagrangue, the French aviator who had made the first flight with a passenger, headed the 1910 list of victims. Le Bon, Michel, Rolis, Chavez, Ralph Johnstone, and a score of others were killed during 1910.

The 1911 aviation fatality list numbered about 75, and brought the total to the hundred mark. Three aviators were killed in one day, June 18, at Paris. On August 15 Badger and Johnston were killed in Chicago. Not only America and Europe, but China, Brazil, Peru, Cuba, Algeria and the Philippines had their victims to the worldwide craze for flying.

During 1912 the list of dead numbered over 120. On September 11 death had a field day, the list of dead for that date including William Chambers, at Birmingham, N. Y.; Lieut. Selbert, at Dresden; Paul Peck, at Chicago, and Caramiak, at Patras, Greece. With 1912 the list has gained momentum, and aviation accidents have become of almost daily occurrence.

Very few aviators abandon the profession despite its obvious dangers, and it is altogether likely that most of the bird-men of to-day will "die with their boots on." Lincoln Beachey, long one of the most daring of the exhibition flyers, may be an exception to the rule, for he recently announced his intention of quitting the game. It was Beachey who invented the "dip of death," "the Dutch roll" and other hazardous feats, and as few as nine other aviators lost their lives in attempting to improve on these exploits.

With constant improvements in the mechanism of flying, and with a diminution of public interest in exhibition flights, it is likely that the death roll of aviation will decrease in the years to come. It was the big remuneration, made possible by a morbid public, that tempted the bird-men to fly with death and perform clownish tricks. But Selfridge, the first martyr, was of a different stamp. It was not love of lucre, but devotion to science, that sent him to his death.

FIRST THINGS

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CANADIAN CELEBRITIES

MME. ARMAND LAVERGNE

The wife of Armand Lavergne is peculiarly and charmingly French. She is the kind of woman who, if Quebec were a nation and Quebec City the capital, would be naturally at court. She looks like a queen's woman. In Quebec she is somewhat the most sparkling figure in social life, as for a while she was in Ottawa—so brief a while.

Whimsically she may remark that she is an old woman when she recalls that at the Tercentenary there was much palaver as to who should have the honor of dancing with the present King.

"Indeed, why should the Prince have danced with me when so many young girls were aching for the honor?" she said.

But Madame Lavergne must live a long while before she has any quarrel with age. Of regal build, she has the sparkle of a fine wit and the gaiety of a woman who learns by instinct, and does not need to plod through the drudgery of detail to get her way in the world. Her perceptions are of the quick, subtle sort that depend much upon the value of first impressions—which in Madame's case are unusually accurate. This may sound suspiciously like compliment. Madame Lavergne will scarcely object. Like all French women, she prefers the compliment, without abasement. Like most French women, she does not shrink upon adverse criticism. But the compliment must be spontaneous. She has no patience to wait for an argument to prove that it is worth her while to have conversation. And she much prefers a quick-witted stranger to a dull friend.

It is not on record that Madame Lavergne ever set out to exploit any sort of a hobby or benevolence in order to express herself. She is perhaps not less benevolent than many women who do settlement work or go slumming or distribute charity or act on behalf of hospitals and church societies. But these are not her natural language. She has a personal immediate influence that depends very much upon the last word spoken. She excels in rally and repartee, in the graces of fluent conversation—and she is able to talk as gracefully in English as in French.

There is an indefinable something about such a woman that makes it absurd to ask—if for instance she is profoundly interested in the fresh-air movement or the evangelizing of a slum. Though you might ask her opinion about French literature, or what she thinks of a bishop, or how she estimates a well-known member of parliament, or even the ethics of lingerie. And her ideas concerning French lace might be as interesting as her opinion of a prime minister.

A few years ago the madame was visiting the Chateau Frontenac, still the most famous rendezvous of beauty and fashion in Canada. Some one dropped a remark that a well-known railway magnate was in Quebec that day.

"Oh," said she quickly, with a very pretty frown at irritation, "I should see him. I think he owes me an apology—which of course I shall not exact."

"And what might have been the offence, madame?"

The questioner fancied anything from an aspersal on Quebec to an insinuation that madame might not be so young as she looked—which is absurd.

"Ah!" she explained, "it was at the banquet to the Prince of Wales—the Tercentenary, you remember."

"And what was the faux pas?" asked the other—quite civilly.

"Well, you see," was the laughing reply, "I was seated next him and in passing he spilled coffee all over my gown. Ah! the gown was quite spoiled, I am sure. But—oh, well, it did not matter. I dare say he felt worse about it than I did."

Positively—would any but a Frenchwoman have remembered for two years precisely who spilled coffee upon a gown?

But Madame Lavergne rides herself upon a very excellent memory, one that carries not merely the outlines but the living details of personality, such a minute and vivid memory as might be expected in the heroine of a novel by Hugo. And this unforgetfulness is born of a certain pride that you must believe dates far back of the tricolor, back to the fleur-de-lis to the mountaineers so ably described by Mr. Bourassa, the Norman-French from the provinces who made New France before Napoleon was born.

And it is from these that Nationalism and such women as Madame Lavergne have come. Do not forget or try to if you are talking to madame—that she is very much of a Nationalist. Not alone by marriage. No doubt if the madame could go on the platform or into parliament she might convert more to Nationalism than Armand Lavergne, the second Nationalist—no more likely the third, for madame is surely second to Mr. Bourassa, unless Madame Bourassa takes precedence.

Estimate Nationalism by spontaneity of expression—and Madame Lavergne is the equal of Mr. Bourassa, without his energy of debate. But she talks the main issue to even a stranger with perfect easy abandon that permits of but little argument.

"Oh," she said with almost a pout of protest, "I am sure we Nationalists are always much misunderstood. We are not such traitors. We are not un-Canadian. We are not unsocial. We do not seek to isolate ourselves and to set up a kingdom or a preserve. No indeed."

"In proof of which the excellent 'Anglaise' of madame," ventured the listener. "Perhaps it is the Ontario people—who are the real Nationalists—for they learn but one language."

"And despite the other," she interrupted. "Oh, well, I am sure if you knew us better you would learn to like us."

"Yet you are vastly different."

"Oh, yes, that is natural. But we at least not impossible."

"By no means. Canadianism is too broad to exclude you. And it is quite certain that madame with all her zeal for the Nationalists will never—"

The stranger looked at her again. Was it possible? No—No, such as the madame have no craving for a mere vote. If you are a Nationalist

woman, you have no room to vex your soul about a mere vote for women. But what if Nationalism were really popular in Canada? Would the kin-woman of Madame Lavergne then become suffragettes?

"Oh, well, she would not, just as the orchestra began to play 'La Marseillaise,' when next you are in Quebec, come to see my husband and myself. We are always glad to make acquaintances. Good-bye!"

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TACT AND DIPLOMACY AT SAANICH COUNCIL

Worswick Paving Company to Be Asked for Return of Blasting Permit

By tact and diplomacy the Saanich Council was brought to a unanimous conclusion last night upon a matter which promised to be the germ of heated discussion, and by tact and diplomacy the council hopes to persuade the Worswick Paving Company to return the permit issued at the last council meeting for the blasting of rock in the company's property on Mount Toimie. If the company will give in peaceably the council will withdraw the permit and is prepared to pay the price if the company uses.

An influential deputaion headed by John C. Barnacle, head master of the University School, waited upon the council to support a petition signed by 200 residents and property owners, asking that the permit be revoked. In peaceably the council will withdraw the permit and is prepared to pay the price if the company uses.

Mr. Barnacle in presenting the case of the residents, stated that the council as the guardian of the interests of the people should have considered the interests of the 200 people who signed the petition above those of the one property owner, the paving company. Reeve Nicholson argued that the benefit of the whole municipality was at the bottom of his decision to grant the permit as the rock was needed for the paving, and the permit expressly limited the amount of blasting which should be done to just enough for that work. Another member of the deputaion urged that the rock be taken from a dump in Mount Toimie road, which should be taken down ten feet, as the cars were blocked there nearly every day. Councillor McGregor stated that almost anywhere else he would consent to the blasting, but he would not favor a disfigurement of Mount Toimie. Upon this Councillor Dunn came forward with his suggestion, which was carried unanimously.

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PLAN FOR BIG SHOW

Officials of Cowichan Agricultural Society Expect Exhibition to Pass All Previous Ones.

Great preparations have been made for the annual exhibition of the Cowichan Agricultural Society, which takes place on Friday and Saturday this week, Sept. 19 and 20.

This year many new features have been incorporated in the programme of events, and everything promises the greatest fair ever held here. Among other new events will be a grand parade of all the livestock exhibits in the show. In former years it has often been difficult for spectators to get a good view of all the entries, and the parade is planned so as to do away with this disadvantage.

There is also to be a procession of decorated motor cars and bicycles. Prizes for this event have been given by the local garage, and some of them are well worth competing for.

As usual there are a very large number of stock entries, and this year's list will include some of the finest horses and cattle on Vancouver Island. A special prize has been offered by the Society for Galloway cattle, and a good exhibit of this class will be shown.

The sports programme has been greatly improved upon, and this year includes many interesting competitions, such as the tug-of-war on horseback, trotting race, cadets relay race and others.

The executive plan to get all the judging over before noon of Saturday, in order that the afternoon may be free for spectacular and sporting events which will draw the crowds. The King's Daughters have been given the privilege of supplying lunch and tea on the grounds, and ample provision will be made for catering to all who may attend the fair. Mr. Marchant's 12-piece band is to provide music on Saturday.

J. Graham has been appointed judge in the polo pony class.

HELD EXPERIENCE MEETING

Members of Political Equality League Also Saw Playlet, "How Vote Was Won."

The Political Equality League held its regular bi-monthly meeting last evening in the "Antirach" hall, Mrs. Gordon Grant presiding, and the programme opening with an entertaining playlet, "How the Vote Was Won." An experience meeting was held afterwards, nine persons in the big audience recounting the means taken by them to raise money to assist the cause of women's enfranchisement. One lady told how she had made butter-scotch at home and had sold it to her friends; another, whose husband was not in sympathy with the work, had sold flowers, her husband, when he approached his office, purchasing several bouquets; and several other experiences were cited.

The chairwoman read an extract from a paper describing how the vote was won by the women of Illinois, and toward the close of the meeting Philip Smith addressed the gathering, pointing out some changes in the propaganda, which would have to be adopted before it could prove a successful campaign. For one thing, he said, members and others wishing success would have to remove from the leaders all financial worries by contributing liberally, in order to let the organizers concentrate their energies on the main work.

The next meeting will be on September 30.

W.C.T.U. HOME WILL EXTEND GOOD WORK

Lady McBride Yesterday Formally Opened New Wing; Mrs. Spofford Gives History

Another auspicious and eventful day in the history of the W. C. T. U. Home, Ida street, took place yesterday in the opening of the new wing at 4 o'clock, by Lady McBride, this taking place in connection with the annual pound party, and in the presence of a large number of interested ladies.

The early part of the afternoon was spent by the visitors in looking over the part of the institution already in use, while almost every minute parcels and packages of provisions arrived to swell the already rapidly-filling store-rooms.

The members of the home committee—Meadames Burkholder, William Grant, Noah Shakespeare, A. E. Mitchell, Frank Andrews, Parsons, Harold Grant, W. West Wilson, and Flett—acted as a reception committee, the president, Mrs. David Spencer, sr., being unable, through indisposition, to attend.

Before the formal opening Mrs. Spofford, provincial president of the W. C. T. U., gave a history of the organization, recalling the fact that the union was organized in British Columbia in 1883, and the reason, was taken up five years later. It was directly owing to a visit here in that year of Colonel Woodford, of Chicago, that the first sum of money was raised for the work, as this friend had given an evening in behalf of the work in the autumn of that year, with the result that \$1,200 was collected and there toward the home. This sum was afterwards augmented by \$1,774 by personal canvassing on the part of the W. C. T. U. ladies, and the home was opened the same year in the old Oppenheimer block on Cormorant street, the property being purchased for the sum of \$2,000. The Vancouver Union gave a further \$200, North Arm \$84, Kamloops \$100, and New Westminster the furnishings for one of the bedrooms.

At the opening ceremony, which was suggested by Mrs. David Robinson, of New Westminster, now assistant pastor at Queen's Avenue Methodist church, who had sometime previously set aside a room in her own home for this work, and it was this which gave the local W. C. T. U. their inspiration. A committee of management had been appointed, Mrs. David Spencer, who for the past twenty-four years has held the same office, being appointed president, and the following ladies being the other members: Mrs. John Robinson, wife of the then premier; Mrs. Shakespeare, Mrs. Burkholder, Mrs. William Grant, Mrs. Gordon Grant, Mrs. Flett, Mrs. Humber, Mrs. C. Hayward, Mrs. J. L. Beckwith, Mrs. McGregor and Mrs. Spofford.

The home had opened with seven girls, Mrs. Luker being the first matron. At first the work was very difficult, and women generally speaking, were not sympathetic to girls of that class. But from the very start they had a good friend in the government, the Hon. John Robson, who obtained a government grant of \$500, which a few years later was increased to \$1,000. Last year this amount was doubled, the minister who was approached on the subject expressing the view that the ladies were doing a good work and one of provincial interest and usefulness. In 1904 the work had grown to such an extent with the growing city that the new home on Ida street was built at a cost of \$5,000, this including the cost of land and building, and the amount being made up by the members of the various W. C. T. U. unions throughout the province. Mayor Barnard opened the home, and the late Bishop Cridge gave a dedicatory prayer. But even the new home, unfortunately, was not large enough for the work, as was proved during the past year, when ten girls had to be received admittance owing to lack of accommodation. It was decided to extend the building, and this the ladies accomplished at a cost of \$2,907. In opening the new wing yesterday, the sum of \$1,500 had been paid down, and there was a mortgage of \$2,000 on the property.

In conclusion Mrs. Spofford said that during the 24 years of its existence the home had cared for over 800 girls, who had come here from all parts of the province, as far north as Metlakatla and as far east as the Kootenay. It was a provincial work, and was the only provincial rescue-home in British Columbia, while the home had been called on to care also for epileptics, old ladies (prior to the building of the "Old Ladies' Home"), and Children's Aid cases. This had at times crowded the home in such a manner that its true function had to be forgotten. They had always had a splendid friend and capable matron in Mrs. Flett since her coming to the institution in 1902 in that capacity. Too much could not be said, either, of the practical assistance which Bishop Perrin, Mrs. Perrin and Miss Perrin had for many years given them. That Mrs. Flett's devotion and genuine interest in the girls was appreciated by the girls themselves was often evidenced in the letters which they wrote to her after leaving, thanking her for her loving watchfulness and sympathy.

At 4 o'clock Lady McBride formally declared the new wing open, and the visitors spent the remainder of the afternoon looking over the rooms and partaking of the delicious tea which was served. The new building, which is a continuation of the south wing of the old structure, contains seven new bedrooms, one of which is to be used as a dormitory for three. The rooms are all finished in white, and look very neat and clean, while, owing to the generosity of Mrs. William Grant and Mrs. David Spencer, two of the bedrooms have already been furnished. The entire house will now accommodate 20 girls.

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NEW ROLLING STOCK.
Two New Cars to Be Shipped From Vancouver to Victoria This Week: Newest Type.

At the close of this week or early in next week the local street railway company's rolling stock will be augmented by two large cars of the newest type, fresh from the hands of the manufacturers in the St. Louis works. The cars are of the double trucked, double-vestibuled type, capable of carrying about forty-five people sitting and twenty-five standing.

Notice has been received at the local office that the cars will be shipped from Vancouver, where they have just arrived from the East, some time this week. Shipment will in all probability be made on special barges. It is not yet known on what runs the cars will be placed, but it is certain that they will considerably help towards better accommodation of the large crowds of people who use the cars daily.

GUESTS ALL SAVED.

Buffalo, N. Y., Sept. 17.—That there was no loss of life in the fire which swept the upper floors of the Hotel Broedel early to-day was made certain at daybreak, when the last of the 250 guests were accounted for.

The total loss from the fire was \$500,000.

Phoenix Beer, \$1.00 per doz. qts.
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ARION CLUB HOLDS ITS ANNUAL MEETING

President's Report Shows Past Year to Have Been Busy; Officers Elected

The Arion Club held its annual meeting on Monday evening, the report of the honorary president, Frank J. Behl, occupying the greater part of the time, and showing the various aspects of the work during the past year.

The year, the report stated, had been a very busy one, the members not having been able to take their usual long vacation on account of the rehearsal which had to be held in connection with the carnival concert at the Willows. Early in July the club had visited Tacoma in connection with the Montanara Pesto, and had also given a concert at the Empress hotel for the benefit of the Flying Legion, the Victoria citizens' committee, at whose suggestion the latter entertainment had been given, having written thanking them cordially. On August 21 a programme had been given by the club on the steps of the parliament buildings; last year, during the visit of T. R. H. the Duke and Duchess of Connaught, the club had the honor of singing on the night of the public reception, when Mr. Kent, the conductor, had been presented to the royal party and personally thanked for the pleasure the club had given them. On October 19 last year they had sung at a concert given by the Ladies' Musical Society; this year they had sung at the Sergeant Claydon's benefit concert.

Referring to the absence of the conductor, Mr. Russell, the report paid a special compliment and vote of thanks to Herbert Kent, who had piloted the good ship Arion through its stormy voyage with a great deal of credit to himself and added prestige to the club's record.

Pleasant outings had been provided by Mr. Wollaston, at Cordova Bay, and by Mr. Mess, who were entertained (and entertained) at a concert at Sooke, those who remained over until the next day partaking of Mr. Mess's hospitality at a picnic at Otter Point.

There was a pleasant time to record in chronicling the decision of Messrs. Henderson, Walton and F. G. Lewis to join the ever-increasing throng of benefactors. But there was also the grievous memory that they had lost since their departure, the grim reaper, C. W. Rhodes, R. G. Hutchison and W. S. Goodwin, while Miss Miles, the clover accompanist, had also been summoned by death.

In conclusion officers and members of the various committees were thanked for their painstaking efforts during the year.

The treasurer's report showed an increase of 12 in the number of associates, this making up a total ticket subscription of \$796.50. A deficit of \$27.11, nevertheless, had resulted from the season's work, and it was suggested that the list of associate members should be increased in order to provide against increased expenditures.

The election of officers for the ensuing season resulted as follows: Hon. president, E. J. Hoarn; hon. secretary, F. F. Patt; hon. assistant secretary, L. W. Hall; hon. treasurer, F. M. Russell; hon. librarian, D. Muir; hon. assistant librarian, J. Walton; hon. conductor, E. Howard Russell, B. A.; hon. assistant conductor, Frank J. Behl; music committee, E. H. Russell, F. J. Behl, B. C. Mess; executive committee, Percy Wollaston, A. J. Mortimer; hon. auditor, Alex. Muir.

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PLAN WINTER PROGRAMME

Y. M. C. A. Will Hear Dr. Derby on Sunday; Other Activities Which Are Being Started

The Business Men's gymnasium class of the Y. M. C. A. will hold its opening rally next Friday evening at the association, the proceedings to commence at 5 o'clock with gymnastics and games. At 8.30 supper will be served, and the remainder of the evening will be spent in a social manner with a musical programme.

The serious business of the winter will take place on Monday evening at 7.30, in connection with the educational classes, when it is hoped that the boys of the city will take advantage of the opportunity to keep up their educational work. The religious work will commence on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock, when Dr. W. Evans Derby will speak on Universal Peace, and Miss Sherrett will give some vocal numbers. The committee in charge of this part of the association work will meet this evening under the chairmanship of J. E. Andrews to draw up the programme for the winter. On Sunday evening next there will be a gathering of all the members in the main hall at 9 o'clock and Mr. Shortt will address the meeting.

The new secretary to the boys' department, Morton L. Bissell, who for some time had charge of a similar work at Newton, Massachusetts, has now arrived to take charge of the work formerly under the direction of Mr. Hughes.

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WILL GIVE CONCERT.

Entertainment This Evening at James Bay Methodist Church in Aid of Chinese Mission.

This evening a concert will be given in the James Bay Methodist church in aid of the Chinese mission, in charge of Rev. R. E. S. Taylor. The entertainment will be under the auspices of the Epworth League, and the following are some of the interesting numbers on the well-arranged programme: Piano duet, Abundant from Haydn; Sixth Symphony; vocal solo, Miss Loney; violin solo, Mr. H. E. Hornell; duet, Messrs. Hendra and Davies; solo, Mr. Holman; trio, Mrs. Scales, Mrs. C. L. Thompson and Miss Mawhinney; piano solo, Mr. Dilworth; vocal solo, Mrs. Jesse Longfield; recitation, Mr. Hendra; trio, "Ave Maria," Mrs. Scales, Mrs. C. L. Thompson and Miss Mawhinney; violin solo, Mr. Jesse Longfield; and piano duet, "Les Noces de Figaro" (Mozart), Mrs. Scales and Mr. Dilworth.

IDENTIFIED THE BODY

Remains at Malahat Were Those of Harry Erskine, Missing Since May 17.

An inquest is being held this afternoon on the body of Harry Erskine, which was found lying in the bush off the Malahat road, about a mile above where the road to the Bamberton cement works branches off.

The body was found on Monday afternoon by Thomas Feden, who was hunting in that vicinity, and he notified the city police, by whom the provincial force was informed of the matter.

Yesterday morning Provincial Constable Robert Owens went out to the place where the body had been seen, and as there was an idea that it might be that of Erskine, who had disappeared near there on May 17, he was accompanied by Henry Erskine, a nephew of the missing man.

They found the skeleton still with most of the clothing intact, lying not far from the road, but so hidden by the bushes that had grown up since that it would not be seen except by some one passing over the spot. Mr. Erskine thought that it looked very like his uncle, and, seeing that the pockets of the clothing confirmed this.

There was a meal ticket on which there could be deciphered part of the name "H. Erskine," and there was also found \$1.95 in small change, the exact amount that Mr. Erskine had given his uncle the day he was last seen, Saturday, May 17. The body had been reduced to a skeleton by exposure to the elements in the four months that have elapsed since Erskine disappeared.

For some time previous the dead man had been acting rather strangely, and it is supposed that he wandered about until he was exhausted, and that he lay down in the woods and died of exposure.

REGIMENTAL ORDERS.

Headquarters Victoria, B. C., Sept. 16, 1913.

By Capt. H. J. Rous, Cullin, commanding 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers.

Attestation.—The officer commanding will attend orderly room next Thursday, 18th inst., at 8.30 p.m., for attestation of recruits.

School of Instruction.—In accordance with district order No. 352, it is notified for general information that an infantry school of instruction will be held at Work Point barracks commencing on Monday, October 6, next, for a period of six weeks. Officers and N.C.O.'s desiring to take this course will make written application to orderly room not later than noon on Thursday next, 18th inst.

Appointment.—The following extract from district order No. 347 is published for general information: 88th Regiment, Victoria Fusiliers.—To be captain and provisional musketry instructor, Paul Frederick Villiers, gentleman, May 16, 1913. Duty.—Capt. C. Cooper is appointed to command the detachments at South Wellington and Extension, vice Capt. P. Byng Hall, D.S.O., granted leave. Capt. Cooper will proceed to South Wellington on Saturday, 19th inst. He will take over command at reveille on Sunday, 20th inst., and will report as soon as possible to headquarters at Nanaimo.

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DEFINITIONS OF A PATRIOT.

"What is a patriot?" was the question set to the candidates for Junior scholarships given by the Northumberland education committee. Here are some of the replies:

"A bird with red feathers coming out of its head."

"The patriot will sometimes talk. Familiarity with the patriot is probably the cause of the definitions of a patriot as a 'clown' and a 'boaster.'"

St. Patrick was a patriot, "the father of saints," and "a man who lives up the Highlands of Scotland." "An old sailor" (pirate?) and "a man who herds cattle" (peasant) were among other answers.

"Patriots are better at home," wrote one.

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NEW LIBERAL CLUB

General Meeting of Members is to Be Held To-morrow Evening.

To-morrow evening, in the Liberal headquarters on Cormorant street, the first general meeting since organization of the new Liberal Reform Club will be held.

At this meeting there is a good deal of business to be considered, and it is desired that a large attendance of members should be there. The constitution which was tentatively adopted at the organization meetings earlier in the summer will be taken up for ratification. Officers will be elected and the question of quarters for the club, which will be a centre for the work of the party in Victoria and vicinity, will be discussed.

The club is an outgrowth of the renewed vigor shown by Liberalism in this city during the past year, and it is looked to advance the interests of good government in provincial and federal affairs. Its membership is growing rapidly since its inception and is open to all friends of a change in the administration resident in the city or any of the Island constituencies.

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WEATHER BULLETIN.

Daily Report Furnished by the Victoria Meteorological Department.

Victoria, Sept. 17.—5 a.m.—The barometer is comparatively low and fine, warm weather prevails from Vancouver Island to California, with moderate winds along the Coast. The weather remains fine and moderately warm in the prairie provinces.

Forecasts.

For 26 hours ending 4 p.m. Thursday: Victoria and vicinity—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Lower Mainland—Light to moderate winds, generally fair, not much change in temperature.

Reports.

Victoria—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 52; minimum, 42; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Vancouver—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 50; minimum, 39; wind, calm; weather, clear.

Kamloops—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 52; minimum, 32; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, cloudy.

San Francisco—Barometer, 29.7; temperature, 72; minimum, 70; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Prince Rupert—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 50; minimum, 30; wind, calm; weather, cloudy.

Edmonton—Barometer, 29.9; temperature, 42; minimum, 30; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, part cloudy.

Winnipeg—Barometer, 29.8; temperature, 41; minimum, 31; wind, 4 miles W.; weather, clear.

Victoria Daily Weather.

Observations taken 5 a.m., noon and 5 p.m., Tuesday:

Temperature.

Highest.....54

Lowest.....49

Average.....51

Rain, trace.

Bright sunshine, 9 hours.

General state of weather, fine.

BETTER THAN ADVICE.

The following story (told in the Tattler) is of a small boy who was laboriously pushing a heavy hand cart up a steep hill and stopping every few minutes to wipe the perspiration from his face.

A clergyman watching him, and thinking to help the lad, called out, "Push it up sis-sag, my little friend, and you will find it go much easier."

"Not so much 'yer bloomin' advice," replied the boy; "come and give me a shove."

CHURCH AND STAGE.

In Garrick's time the church had a decided leaning towards the stage. The great actor, says the Daily Chronicle, suffered a plague of stage-struck clergymen. He read many of their plays, and produced at least one.

The Reverend Edward Young, of Welwyn parish, and of "Night Thoughts" fame, wrote the tragedy of "The Two Brothers," which Garrick produced. Its reception was a tragedy.

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Young, however, had counted his chickens—he had promised £1,000—the expected proceeds of his author's rights—to the Society for the Propagation of the Gospel. And here he shone.

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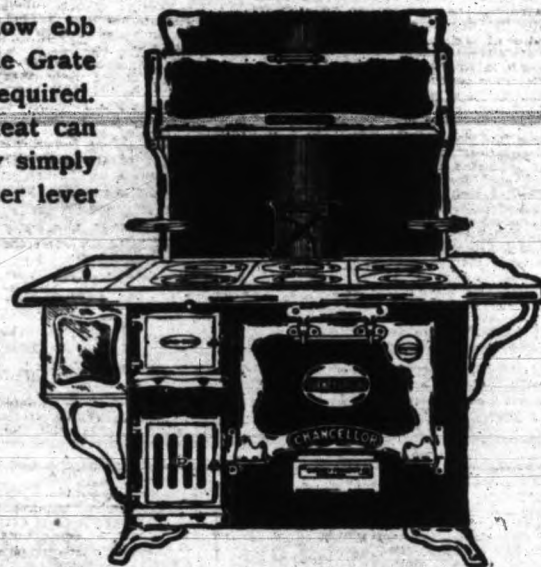
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Dated this 28th day of August, A.D. 1913.

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September 17 is the birthday of Robert Harris, the Canadian artist, painter of the great picture, "Fathers of Confederation," at Carnarvon, Wales, 1849; and of Dr. Frank D. Adams, distinguished educator, in Montreal, 1859.

BIRTHDAY CONGRATULATIONS

TO

King, Rev. Harold George (Fort William, Ont.); born, Barrie, Ont., 1876; rector of St. Paul's Anglican church. Latham, Chester E. (Winnipeg); born, Bloomington, Ill., 1863; one of the land agents of the C.N.R. MacLachlan, William Macneille (Vancouver); born, Ayr, Scotland, 1875; accountant. McCallum, Ernest Absalom (Regina); born, Cumberland, Ont., 1870; estate and financial agent and barrister.

McCrosen, George E. M.A., LL.B. (Vancouver); born, Winnipeg, 1879; barrister.

Simmons, Alexander (Winnipeg); born, Inverurie, Aberdeen, Scotland, 1873; estate broker and company director.

Storey, Edgar M. (Regina); born,

The Rt. Hon. Bernard Arthur William Patrick Hastings Forbes, eighth Earl of Granard, will pass his thirty-ninth milestone to-day, having been born September 17, 1874. The earl, who married Miss Beatrice Mills, daughter of Ogden Mills, an American millionaire, is a leader in the society of both Ireland and England, and holds a high position at court. He is a Roman Catholic and a staunch home ruler, and in complete sympathy with the aspirations of the Irish people, who would welcome him as the lord-lieutenant of the Emerald Isle. He was born in Dublin, and his Irish estate comprises about 22,000 acres. Lord Granard has received many foreign decorations, emblematic of the leading orders of Spain, Prussia, Sweden and Portugal.

Japan's modern educational system is, in large part, a monument to Dr. William Elliot Griffiths, who has spent a large part of his long life in striving to bring about a better understanding between the peoples of the Orient and the Occident. Dr. Griffiths was born in Philadelphia just three score years and ten ago, on September 17, 1848. As superintendent of education and, later, as professor of physics in the Imperial University of Tokio he left a lasting impress on the educational system of Nippon. Among his pupils were many who have since become leaders, including great statesmen and diplomats, ambassadors, jurists, scientists and educators. He returned to America in 1875 to prepare himself for the ministry, and has occupied pulpits in Ithaca, Boston and other cities, besides writing numerous books on Oriental subjects. Dr. Griffiths is a great admirer of the Japanese, and likens the American feeling against them to the racial prejudice which, through many centuries, has made the Jews a persecuted people. Dr. Griffiths believes that the Japanese are a fusion of the Aryan, Semitic, Malay and Tartar races, and are as much Aryan as any other stock on earth.

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FURNITURE, FURNITURE—Who wants a bargain? Furniture, carpets, etc. Bargain Store, 236 Pandora St. We guarantee to sell 50 per cent. below market value.

WANTED—Customer, can supply thirty dollars worth of furniture, carpets, etc. 56 Cedar Hill road.

FOR SALE—Stove, range and show case, 1008 Fort.

FOR SALE—Seven coils copper and one water spangle. G. A. Knight, Jr., At. Tolmie.

FOR SALE—LIVESTOCK

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FOR SALE—LOTS:

BARGAIN—Basin street, block from Hillside, 34x112, \$100. Phone 271.

MR. WORKINGMAN—Lakeside will interest you. Did you ever consider the possibilities of an acre of deep, rich soil, close in, within easy reach of your work? Choice quarter, half and full acre lots, all cleared, this beautiful subdivision, at ridiculously low prices and on terms that will enable you to make them pay for themselves. This is the first proposition of its kind to be placed on the market in Victoria. If you wish to solve the high cost of living problem, ask us to show you Lakeside. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 625 Fort St.

PORT ALBERT—2 lots in lot 112 for sale cheap. Box 592, Times.

AN ACRE LOT IN LAKESIDE and Independence, 2-1/2 miles from city hall, on main branch paved road, deep rich soil. Ideal for gardening or poultry raising; prices less than ordinary city lots; terms that will enable you to make the property pay for itself; the safest, sanest and surest proposition ever placed on the market in Victoria. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 625 Fort St. Phone 1510.

THERE WILL BE A RUSH FOR THIS—Gordon street, Oak Bay, choice level lot, just off Richmond avenue, 50x120. Note the price, \$95, easy terms arranged. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 625 Fort St. Phone 1510.

LOT FOR SALE, just off Harriet road, Burnside, only \$50. Owner, Box 596, Times.

CONSTANCE AVE. ESQUIMAULT—Lot 51x100, nicely treed, overlooking the sea, and within 2 blocks of car. This is a beautiful homestead and the price is only \$1500 on easy terms. Western Lands, Ltd., 725 Fort street.

HAFF PRICE—Lot 50x240, Dunn Ave., no rock, good land, 10 minutes from Douglas car. Price \$700, third cash. North West Coast Agency Co., corner Douglas and Douglas St.

VICTOR ST.—Double corner lot \$2500; 2 large lots. This is a snap; third cash. North West Coast Agency Co., corner Douglas and Douglas St.

FOR SALE BY OWNER—Equity in close-in lots in Medicine Hat, Brandon, Regina, Yorkton, Gretna, Humboldt and Courtenay. These are all guaranteed gift-estate properties. Will sell at or part for less than market value. Apply Box 102, Times.

FOR SALE—HOUSES:

FOR SALE—4-room house, best house, launch and rowboat at Tod Inlet, price \$2000. Apply owner, 622 Garbally road, Box 593, Times.

I HAVE LOVELY HOMES for sale; will take good building lots as part payment. Box 593, Times.

A GRANT INVESTMENT—Nine 1-acre lots and a new eight roomed house with large barn, water on premises, 4 minutes from B. C. E. R. station (Stelly's); sacrifices at \$2000. Apply 201 Cook St.

A MODERN, SEVEN ROOMED HOUSE, No. 1235 Lee avenue; price \$5000, only \$250 cash, balance \$20 per month. W. B. Revercomb, 1907 Belmont avenue. Phone 4633.

\$100 CASH and \$20 monthly buys bungalow, 4 rooms, in splendid position, near George waterfront, on Inlet avenue. Box 592, Times.

TO PEOPLE looking for a real bargain in a new, 5 roomed, modern bungalow, located in best part of city, close in, one block from Oak Bay car, contains all the latest modern features, fireplace, buffet, beamed and paneled, etc., beautifully finished, lot fenced, cement walks, lawn graded, etc., complete in every way; we claim this to be the best house buy in Victoria; price \$3000; terms, \$400 cash, balance to suit. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 625 Fort St. Phone 1510.

OWNER forced to sacrifice. New 5-roomed bungalow on Belmont Ave., close to car, lot 50x100. This has been extra well built and contains all the latest built-in features, including 2 large fireplaces with massive oak mantels, built-in buffet, pantry, with built-in dishes, etc.; separate bath and toilet, stairs to attic, living room and parlor carpeted and paneled, etc.; cement basement; a complete home in every detail. A positive snap at the price, \$3400, on terms to suit. Open evenings. Herbert Cuthbert & Co., 625 Fort St. Phone 1510.

FOR SALE—New, three roomed cottage, modern, and close to car. Phone 3571, Box 490, Times office.

PILL KING PAYS

SHORT VISIT HERE

Sir Joseph Beecham Surprised at Well-Kept Streets and Lighting of Western Cities.

Sir Joseph Beecham, one of England's greatest financiers, producer of opera, philanthropist, and pill manufacturer, arrived in the city this morning on a business trip from Liverpool. He has been travelling leisurely through Canada since August 20, and according to his statement has thoroughly enjoyed the experience.

When he reached Montreal on his present trip, Sir Joseph completed his fifty-third crossing of the Atlantic. "I have knocked about the world a good deal," he said to a Times man this morning, and am not easily surprised. But I got a shock when I came west this time. I knew that western Canada had grown, but I was not prepared for what I saw.

"For instance, when we came to Saskatoon I said to my travelling companion, 'Here, look in Baedeker and see what it says about Saskatoon.' Would you believe it, but that Baedeker was only six or seven years old and Saskatoon was never even mentioned. There is no reason why that should be, for what I saw.

"Sir Joseph is an ardent municipalist, and has been several times mayor of his native city of St. Helen's, which lies very close to the mighty port of Liverpool. He is at present deputy mayor, and is very keenly interested in all movement towards civic improvements. On this subject he confessed his amazement at the excellent condition of the streets in the Canadian cities he had visited, and particularly in the west.

"The street lighting in this city, for instance," he said, "appears to me magnificent, and far in advance of anything we have in the provincial towns of the Old Country. The five-lamp standards are very effective. There is no comparison either between the streets in the western Canadian cities and those of the United States. Your streets are far better than theirs."

For many years Sir Joseph has served on the electric tramway board of St. Helen's, which city operates all the street facilities and is an enthusiastic advocate of municipal ownership.

"Over there," he said, "we run our power plants at a good profit, and give cheap power and light. I do not think there is any reason why that should not be done here."

Sir Joseph Beecham has been greatly interested in promoting grand opera in Liverpool, working in conjunction with his son, Thomas Beecham, the world famous conductor. They own the Aldwych Theatre and first introduced Russian Grand Opera to England.

"Without doubt," he said this morning, "the introduction of Russian opera has created an important epoch in the musical history of England, and will in conjunction with the wonderful Russian ballet which has this season been more successful than ever, arouse the enthusiasm in this country on the highest forms of musical art in a remarkable degree."

Here Sir Joseph grew reminiscent as he chatted about the opera he has introduced to British audiences. Figuring in a lengthy list were "Elektra," "Rosalkavaler," "Ariadne in Naxos" and the revival of the Mozart opera.

From the subject of opera Sir Joseph switched on to newspaper advertising. As no man in the world advertises so much his experience might well be taken as a rule.

"I have spent," he said, "over five million dollars in the last ten years on newspaper advertising alone. Shortly before my father died he told me that the only advertising that brings quick and sure results is newspaper advertising. I have seen no reason since to think he was wrong."

TESTING SUNDAY LAWS

Hundreds of Prosecutions Launched Under the Act of Charles Second.

That there should be no discrimination in the enforcement of the laws respecting the observance of Sunday is the opinion of a gentleman who is responsible for the laying of some one hundred informations under the act of Charles Second, upon which summonses are being served this afternoon.

Detectives employed on Sunday took the names of many people who were found on that day in the act of breaking the law of England and British Columbia in various ways. Their employer, it is understood, is a believer in the strict observance of the day, and it is his intention that the law as enacted in the year 1678 shall be enforced here so far as he can secure that.

The list of defendants include the secretaries of all the clubs, the Victoria Phoenix Brewery, the Victoria Gas Company, the B. C. Electric Railway Company, the Empress hotel cigar stand, hack drivers, motor car chauffeurs and others to the number of over one hundred in all.

It is said that the companies operating trains and steamers will be prosecuted and those who travel on Sunday in any manner will be brought before the police magistrate. Golfers and all others who engage in sports of any kind on the Sabbath are to be pursued, and it looks as if the police court for the next few weeks would be the resort of some of the best people of Victoria.

Lecture by English Unitarian.—One of the last meetings of the Unitarians in their present hall, Government street, will be distinguished by an eminent Unitarian speaker, Rev. W. Copeland Bowles, secretary for the last twenty years of the Unitarian Association of England, who has been visiting in the city for the past few days, and will be leaving to-morrow for the east.

RE BECKETT, MAJOR & COMPANY, LIMITED

NOTICE is hereby given that a meeting of the Creditors of the above company a Private Company in Voluntary Liquidation will be held at the office of Messrs. Mason & Mann, 1113 Langley St., Victoria, B. C., on Monday the 23rd day of September, 1913, at the hour of 3 o'clock in the afternoon.

DATED, this 16th day of September, 1913.

FREDERICK C. BECKETT, Liquidator appointed by the Supreme Court.

LOCAL NEWS

Again Postponed.—The appeal case involving the validity of the Hired Vehicles By-law has been fixed by the County Court judge as the first new case to be taken up on Friday.

Would Welcome Furniture.—The secretary of the Friendly Help Society would be glad to secure the names of those persons who would like to donate some pieces of furniture to the society. All such articles will be welcomed.

Adds Store to Building.—Mrs. Lizzie Hole was granted permission by the building inspector this morning to erect a \$300 frame store at the front of her house in 537 Burnside road. A permit was also issued to Watson & McQuay to build a frame dwelling at 168 Beechwood avenue at a cost of \$5000.

Engineer Visits Sooke.—City Engineer Rust paid a visit to Sooke, B. C., today to inspect the progress on the work there. Concreting the dam began yesterday and work is being pushed at the greatest possible speed. Mr. Rust will also probably gather information to put in the report on the employment of labor which Alderman Cuthbert has asked for.

The Nuwara Kilya plateau in Ceylon (3200 feet above sea level), possesses the finest tea estates in the world. The "Salada" Tea Co. import this tea direct from this district. The delightful flavor and absolute purity of "Salada" will please you. Your grocer sells it.

Jailed for Desertion.—Charles Southworth was yesterday afternoon sentenced to a fine of \$100 or six months in jail for the desertion of his three children. The case was at the instance of the Children's Aid Society and was conducted by P. A. Babington.

Includes 1000 Acres.—In connection with the report of Engineer R. H. Thompson upon the combined north-west sewer, it has been reported by Engineer Casey of Esquimalt that the report was incorrect when it said the present agreement with the city did not include the full 1000 acres. The proposal to move the outlet 1200 feet west is favorably regarded, but other features are not so welcome to the council. No action can be taken, however, until the city council and the municipality with a copy of the report and its proposals arising therefrom.

Cloth Recovered.—John Farmer was arrested yesterday afternoon by Detective Sergeant O'Leary and Detective Turner on a charge of stealing a quantity of cloth from Toufic Doumani, a tailor, earlier in the day. Five bolts of cloth, containing in all twenty suit lengths, were recovered and were produced in police court this morning as evidence against Farmer on a charge of being in possession of the property, knowing it to have been stolen. Farmer asked for a remand in order to get legal advice and was put back until Friday. C. E. Davis is acting for the prosecution.

Weather Promises Fair.—The weather office, despite rather dubious signs of a change, prophesies a continuation of "fair and warm" conditions such as have been enjoyed here for the past few days. In Los Angeles a new record has been made, the thermometer in the shade registering yesterday the phenomenal temperature of 102. Heavy rains have been experienced at Saint Ste. Marie, where 1.20 in. have fallen during the past twenty-four hours. At Chicago the rain has been almost steady for the same time, but only one-half inch has fallen. All through the prairie provinces the weather has been showery.

MEETINGS

Dance This Evening.—The Victoria Recreation Club will hold its weekly dance at St. John's Hall, Herald St., this evening.

Veterans to Meet.—A meeting of the Royal Northwest Mounted Police Veterans' association will be held this evening at 8 in the offices of the Victoria Leather Goods Company.

Choral Society.—The Choral Society is about to resume rehearsals for the forthcoming season. Those desiring to become members are to attend the girls' rest room, Courtney street, on Tuesday evening, September 30, at 8.

King's Daughters to Meet.—There will be a special meeting of the King's Daughters at the rest rooms, Courtney street, on Friday, September 19, at 10.30 a.m., when arrangements will be made in connection with the stall which the ladies are to have at the forthcoming fall fair. The day of the annual meeting in October will also be decided on.

Congregational Rally.—This evening a congregational rally is to be held under the auspices of the joint boards of the Fairfield Methodist church, corner of Moss street and Fairfield road. The Ladies' Aid has charge of the programme and refreshments, and all who are interested have been invited to attend.

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BABY SHOW WILL BE

EVENT AT FALL FAIR

Cups and Other Awards Now on View; the Classes and Prizes

The infants' clothing department of Spectator's store is the scene of unusual interest. The many beautiful prizes which are to be competed for at the forthcoming baby show at the Women's building, the fair grounds, being on exhibit. The show, which is to open on September 25, promises to be one of the largest of its kind ever held in the city, and already there are over a hundred entries for the various classes. The register will remain open until Wednesday evening, September 24, by which time it is anticipated all the handsomest babies and small children will be entered.

Special prizes will be offered for competitors in the following classes: Best baby of parents both born in British Columbia.—Cup presented by R. Grant. Youngest baby of largest family (boy or girl).—Provincial Secretary's cup. Most popular baby in show. (To be decided by popular vote of public attending baby show. Vote decided by ballot. Entrance tickets are ballots.)—Lady McBride's cup.

First, second, and third prizes will be awarded to the best babies as follows: Girl babies, 1 mo. to 6 mos.; boy babies, 1 mo. to 6 mos.; girl babies, 6 mos. to 12 mos.; girl babies, 1 yr. to 2 yrs.; girl babies, 2 yrs. to 3 yrs.; boy babies, 6 mos. to 12 mos.; boy babies, 1 yr. to 2 yrs.

Classes have also been arranged for twins, and a card will be given to the best girl twins. There is a competition for the best boy twins, and for the best boy and girl twins.

Short, Hill & Duncan have offered a diamond locket to be presented to the most perfect baby in the show, and Mayor Morley's cup for the best girl baby in the show will be competed for. The best boy baby in the show will have a chance to win the Conservative cup, and J. A. Turner has shown originality in offering a set of silver cups for triplets.

Canadian Financiers, 606 View street, will present a savings bank and a credit of \$5.00 to the account of the baby who is the best baby in the show. In that class a bed and mattress will be presented by Weller Bros. for the winner of the 2-year-old boy class, this prize already being on exhibition in their windows.

INSTITUTION NEEDED

Case of Youths Too Old for Reformatory and Too Young for Jail a Pressing One.

This case is another illustration of the necessity of some institution in this province between the industrial school and the jail, somewhat along the lines of that known as the Borstal in England, expressly established to take care of such cases as this of youths who are hardly more than boys taken in their first offence.

The speaker was Magistrate Jay, and the occasion was the close of a prosecution in which two youths are accused of taking \$103 from an intoxicated man. Frederick Casey, the object of his remarks, had pleaded guilty to the offence.

His worship added that the lad was too old to be sent to an industrial school, and in his opinion was too young to be sent to jail to mix with older and hardened offenders. In this particular case he was unable to exercise the discretion given him in some cases, as the offence was punishable by more than two years' imprisonment, but if the attorney-general would give his consent he would be inclined to allow the lad out on suspended sentence on security for his good behavior.

City Prosecutor Harrison communicated with Mr. Bowser and got his consent for the court to deal with the case in its discretion. The lad was then let out in the care of his father after a few words of admonition from the magistrate.

Donald Cameron was committed for trial on the charge.

DISHONORED CHEQUE.

Accused is Given a Remand Until Monday—Creditor Will Be Looked For.

Thomas Watson, an auto supplies salesman, accused of obtaining money by false pretences through a bogus cheque, was again remanded in police court to-day after part of the case for the defence had been heard. C. K. Courtney is defending.

C. M. Davidson, ledger-keeper in the savings branch of the Imperial Bank main office in Vancouver, produced the page with the defendant's account, which has been running for over three years. The last entry before yesterday was a withdrawal on May 15, 1911, leaving a balance of \$158. Yesterday Watson deposited \$22.50.

Herbert M. Leighton, clerk in the St. James hotel, identified the cheque given him on September 3, which had come back through the bank dishonored. The cheque was for \$53.15, which represented \$48.50 hotel bill, \$4.50 borrowed from Leighton personally, \$5 change and fifteen cents exchange.

Watson, in his own defence, swore that he expected to have a cheque for \$50 deposited to the credit of his account on September 1 by a South Vancouver man.

He was closely cross-examined by City Prosecutor Harrison as to the identity of his creditor, and the efforts he had made to find him, counsel suggesting that the whole story was a fabrication.

The magistrate thought there should be a further search for the creditor, and granted a remand until Monday for that purpose.

TO-DAY'S BASEBALL

AMERICAN LEAGUE.

At New York—
First game R. H. E.
Chicago..... 9 18 9
New York..... 3 7 3
Batteries—Scott and Schalk; Ford, Pile and Gossett, Reynolds.

At Washington—
First game R. H. E.
Detroit..... 5 10 0
Washington..... 1 2 0
Batteries—Dubuc and Gibson; Galloway, Love and Ainsmith.

Second game R. H. E.
Detroit..... 4 11 1
Washington..... 2 8 3
Batteries—Williams and Gibson; Boehling and Henry.

At Boston—
R. H. E.
Cleveland..... 2 8 1
Boston..... 0 8 1
Batteries—Falkenberg and Carich; Leonard, Wood and Cady.

At Philadelphia—
R. H. E.
St. Louis..... 4 5 3
Philadelphia..... 8 14 2
Batteries—Mitchell, Baumgardner and Alexander; Brown, Pennock, Houck, Bush and Lapp, Schang.

NATIONAL LEAGUE.

All National League games postponed; wet grounds.

EXHIBITION PROCURES

SOME FAMOUS JUDGES

George Pepper for Horse Show Known World Over; Stock Arriving Every Day

While not yet complete the list of judges for the various contests at the exhibition is composed of men whose reputations in the departments they are undertaking to judge are continually wide. George Pepper, of Toronto, who is to be judge at the horse show, is said by many to be the best horse judge in the world, and certain it is that he is called upon to fill engagements in almost every quarter of the globe. Bruce Wright, of St. Winston, Alta., is another continually famed judge of live-stock. He will officiate in the beef cattle and hog classes.

Owing to the ambition of the Agricultural Association to engage the very best men in their various lines some difficulty has been experienced in getting men for two or three of the classes. Unfortunately several of the men sought after have had other affairs to attend at the same time and could not come. The association still has a choice of competent men in the vacant classes, however, and the exhibitors are assured of wise and fair judgments in every department of the show.

The list of judges appointed to date is as follows: Heavy horses, Peter Christie, Ontario; light horses, James A. Turner, Calgary; beef cattle, Bryce Wright, De Winton, Alta.; dairy cattle, Mr. Kalns, Byron, Ont.; hogs, Bry A. Wright, fruit and vegetables, H. Robertson, all of Washington State; dairy products, H. Rive, provincial department of agriculture; honey, W. H. Collins, Oak Bay; women's work, Miss Kithen, Victoria; art, J. Savannah, Victoria; horse show, George Pepper, Toronto.

This morning five carloads of live-stock arrived from the east and the stock was removed at once to the fair grounds and installed in the proper buildings. Four carloads of sheep, composed of horses, cattle, sheep, hogs, etc., the exhibit of T. A. Cox, of Brantford, Ont. In addition there are nine Arnhelm cattle, belonging to Roland Nease, of De Winton, Alta.

There is quite a large number of live cattle already at the grounds, and the persons in charge are taking advantage of the time before the opening of the exhibition to decorate the stalls. Most of the cattle on hand now are from Alberta and Saskatchewan, with a few from Ontario.

OBITUARY RECORD

The death occurred yesterday at the residence of his daughter, 1324 Grant street, of James Henry Scovill. The deceased is survived by his daughter, Mrs. Parker. The funeral will take place to-morrow afternoon at 3 o'clock from the Hanna-Thomson parlors.

The death took place yesterday of Dye May Soy, a Chinese girl who lived with her parents at 527 Cormorant street. The funeral will take place to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock from the B. C. Funeral parlors.

The funeral of the late John Pope Burgess took place this afternoon at 2.30 from the B. C. Funeral chapel, Rev. E. G. Miller officiating. There was a very large attendance, and numerous flowers were sent by grieving friends. The hymns sung were "Rock of Ages," and "Nearer My God to Thee." The pallbearers were W. H. Bone, Joseph Baker, E. Williams, William Grant, W. H. Burkholder, and Leonard Tall.

Charles Henry Erskine, whose remains were found on the Malahat drive, was a painter by occupation, who for seventeen years was engaged by the Melrose Paint Company. The deceased, who was 37 years of age, was a native of Coburg, Ont. He was a member of the painters' union here, and for several years belonged to the Fifth Regiment. He is survived by three sisters in Victoria: Mrs. J. B. Prescott, Mrs. Hill, Mrs. Charles Wrigglesworth; another sister, Mrs. Gynn, of North Dakota; and Mrs. Harden, of Spain. A brother, William, survives him at Coburg; and another brother, John, survives him in this city. The funeral will take place on Friday afternoon at 2.30 from the B. C. Funeral parlors.



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Edging Irons, regular \$1.25—**95¢**
Garden Hand Forks, regular \$2.00—**20¢**
Garden Trowels, regular \$2.00—**15¢**
Garden Shears, wood handles, regular \$1.25—**95¢**
Long-Handled Spading Forks, regular \$1.25—**95¢**
5-Prong Cultivators, regular \$1.25—**55¢**
3-Prong Cultivators, regular \$1.25—**50¢**
Potato Dags, regular 75¢—**60¢**
Hay Forks, regular \$5.00—**40¢**

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\$175 Cash—\$3000 map for a lot, 120, just off Cook street, inside city. High and nicely treed. Balance monthly.

\$75 Cash—In same locality as above. Some good lots, only \$675. These are great bargains.

Craigmillier Heights, Quadra Street, one of the finest view lots over city. On easy terms. Only \$2000.

LARGE LOT—NEARLY 1/4 ACRE.
\$100 Cash—Hampton Road, Burnside, block from car; only \$850.

\$150 Cash—High lot on Carlin street, few minutes from Hillside car; 3 lots, off Cook street, close in; 50 ft. lot; a wrap—only \$900.

ACREAGE.

320 Acres, Shawanigan Lake, River frontage one mile. Per acre \$35.

\$300 Cash—Five acres, Cobble Hill. Close to station, for \$800.

60 Acres, with farm-house, barn and chicken run. At Shawanigan. For \$7500.

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FAMOUS COMEDienne WAS SCHOOL-GIRL HERE

Miss May Tully, Visiting Victoria, Was Born in Nanaimo; Dramatizing Book

British Columbia's daughters have been singularly successful in making their names famous in the courts of music, the drama, scholarship, literature, medicine, and other achievements, and among her most favored children is Miss May Tully, who, born in Nanaimo, educated in Victoria and at McGill, has won her way to the very forefront of the long file of playwrights and comedienne.

Miss Tully is at present visiting here in the city, where she spent her early girlhood and school-days, and with a timidity quite inconspicuous when she crosses the stage in the bigger cities of eastern Canada and the United States, expressed to a Times representative a positive fear at the thought of having to appear before a Victoria audience. Not because there is anything generally more critical or aggressive about the theatre-goers here, but simply because she knows that they knew her as a school-girl and would place her, whether she would or not, back in that timorous and shy age when the stage was an undreamed thought.

Small Part at Beginning.
"I began to think about it when I was at McGill," said Miss Tully. "Then when the big moment came and I announced my intention of going on the stage, all my friends expected to see me in something wonderful; instead, they had a bad disappointment. I forgot exactly what I had to say, but it was just a sort of walk on from the wings and then back again with a little sentence about calling the cab in between. My first real appearance was as Glory Quail in 'The Christiana,' a part which, when I look back at it, seems to have been quite ambitious."

That was by way of tragedy. Miss Tully shortly afterwards found herself—as a comedienne—and she has stuck by the part faithfully, with what success an appreciative public knows. A believer in the "divine spark," Miss Tully cites with fluency the actors and actresses (although, a woman, she seems to study the latter more closely) who have impressed her as possessing this source of superhuman inspiration. For instance, she quotes Ellen Terry, Mrs. Pat Campbell, Mrs. Fiske, Miss Ethel Barrymore, and others. Another little observation which she has made is that men write more realistic character studies for women than women playwrights themselves are able to do, reversely, however, where women have written plays, and they have been successful, their men are better than their women.

Created by Women.
"Chauncy Olcott's parts are all written by a woman," she cited as an example of the efficiency of the feminine playwright in this respect, "and everyone knows how good they are. Then the elder brother in Rachel Car-

ruthers is a wonderful study of a man, and all the other men in the same play are delightfully living and real. 'Brown of Harvard' is by a woman, too, and there is one of the most splendid characters imaginable in that."

"No," she replied candidly in response to a question, "I do not like Shakespeare. It is good reading, and is interesting, but when seen occasionally as a sort of mental relaxation, but on the whole I would much rather see a good American or English modern production. Of course, I think such a performance as Faversham's 'Julius Caesar' is a masterpiece—as Shakespeare and Marlow and Shonora are above criticism. But I personally prefer comedy to tragedy; it is the age of comedy; it is impossible to live for art alone, and as a playwright and an actress, I cannot lose sight of the commercial advantages of comedy. It pays better; the public want it; and, moreover, I do not agree with those critics who consider tragedy the higher art. It may be more profound, and may require a certain exercise of the intellect which the other does not demand of the audience at least; but comedy is finer, and is more difficult to write. The public who goes to see it is more exacting. You've no idea how gratifying it is to the playwright as well as to the actor to have the public laugh in the right place—and only in the right place."

Not Best Playwrights.
Asked as to whether she considered that the actor should make the best playwright, Miss Tully expressed some doubt as to the actual facts.

Actors as playwrights unconsciously write a great part (remembering the acting) rather than a great play. But their knowledge of stagecraft and business should make them at least clever in avoiding the pitfalls of the average playwright. I think an actor could write a great play if he did not have himself in view; that is why men like Pinero and Fitch have written such immense parts for women."

Miss Tully has been writing as well as acting for the past four or five years and finds it intensely fascinating to work out her situations and dialogue. So intensely has she worked that she did not realize that her energy was being depleted faster than it was being stored up, the result being a breakdown about four months ago. Since then she has been holidaying in Los Angeles, Catalina, Oregon and other places along the Pacific coast, and her present visit to Victoria is the last week of her vacation before returning to New York to resume her work. She is at present very much engrossed in dramatizing George Randolph Chester's book "The Cash Intrigue," where, strangely enough, and rather bearing out her theory of the relation of playwrights and their characters, all the parts are for men. The dramatization is to appear under the very taking title of "The American Emperor," and should be seen staged before the winter is out.

Likes Audiences.
Although she has never yet appeared in any of the western Canadian cities, Miss Tully's annual one-week appearances at Ottawa, Montreal and Toronto are keenly looked forward to, and she herself is no less delighted to play to them. "The audiences are delightful," she says, "and, as one manager said to me, seem to start laughing when they come to buy their tickets. Some places it is so different, and the house



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Some day, perhaps, Victoria may be favored with a visit from Miss Tully. But until such time the city that one time claimed the beautiful actress as its daughter will have to be content with such fleeting visits as this present one which Miss Tully is paying in its midst. In the meantime, however, she will hasten back to her New York public—that rickety, gushing, critical public which forgets its flocks before its flowers of praise have faded.

CONSIDER C. N. R. PLANS.

Sanich Council and Engineer to Look Over Route Through Municipality.

Sanich works committee will meet to-night at 7 o'clock to view the plans of the Canadian Northern railway as they affect that municipality. A quorum was not obtained at the meeting which was to have taken place an hour before the council met last night and resentment was expressed at the council board by the two councillors who were on time.

Solicitor Aikman explained to the council that before the railway could build its line its plans must be approved by the minister of railways and he would not approve anything to which the municipality objected, provided there was another way of getting around the difficulty. He proposed, therefore, that the engineer be taken into consultation at the meeting to propose substitute routes for those

to the plans which proved objectionable. This will be done.

GUilty BUT FREE.

Jerry Leary Admits Theft on Board Ship but Cannot Be Tried in United States.

It is possible that Jerry Leary, a laborer, may never be tried for a crime he admits, that of stealing \$18 from a fellow-passenger of the Princess Victoria, while on the way from Vancouver to Seattle. Leary was jailed in Seattle on Sunday morning on the arrival of the steamer from the British Columbia port, but when the passenger who had been robbed proceeded to lay an information he found that he could not do so. The crime had been committed in British territory in that it took place on a vessel of Canadian registry, and of course there is no jurisdiction to try Leary in the United States.

This was pointed out to the complainant by Prosecuting Attorney Murphy, of Seattle, and when the district attorney of the United States district court, Charles F. Riddell, was appealed to he took the same view. The only way that Leary can be got at is for the complainant to return to Vancouver and swear out an information there. It would then be necessary to secure the extradition of Leary, but he is now in the States and no one knows where he would be by the time proceedings could be got in order.

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